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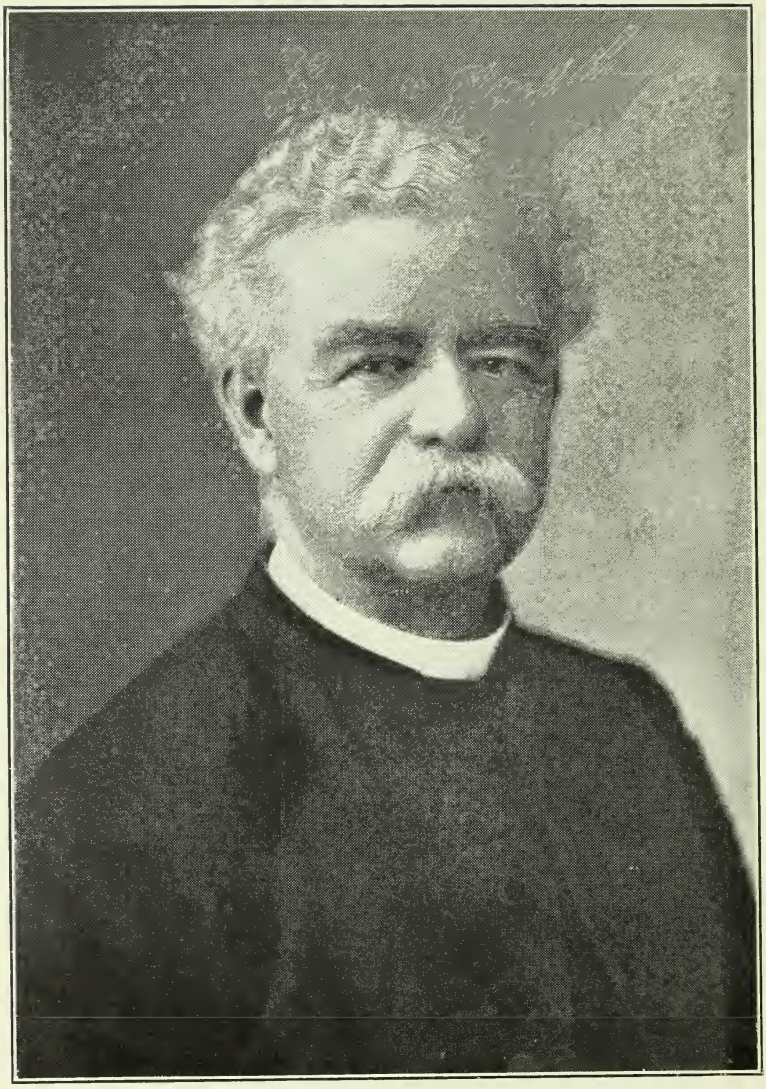

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Session	Date	PLACE	PRESIDING BISHOP	SECRETARY
1	1836, Sept. 1-6	Watertown, Arsenal St.	Waugh	Wm. Warde Ninde
2	1837, Aug. 9-15	Potsdam	Hedding	Jesse T. Peck
3	1838, Aug. 1-8	Fulton	Morris	Wm. Warde Ninde
4	1839, July 31-Aug. 7	Turin	Hedding	Jesse T. Peck
5	1840, July 29-Aug. 4	Pulaski	Roberts	"
6	1841, July 21-26	Rome	Soule	Wm. S. Bowdish
7	1842, July 20-25	Watertown, Arsenal St.	Hedding	Geo. G. Hapgood
8	1843, July 19-26	Syracuse, First Church	Waugh	Wm. Warde Ninde
9	1844, July 31-Aug. 7	Potsdam	Hamline	Geo. G. Hapgood
10	1845, July 9-17	Mexicoville	Hedding	Gardner Baker
11	1846, June 17-22	Lowville	Janes	Hiram Mattison
12	1847, June 16-23	Malone	Morris	"
13	1848, July 5-11	Adams	Janes	Gardner Baker
14	1849, June 20-26	Fulton	Hedding	"
15	1850, June 29-July 3	Rome	Waugh	Hiram Mattison
16	1851, July 2-9	Oswego, First Church	Janes	"
17	1852, June 23-29	Ogdensburg	Morris	"
18	1853, June 2-8	Watertown, State Street	Simpson	"
19	1854, May 31 June 6	Camden	Morris	Peter D. Gorrie
20	1855, May 30-June 5	Weedsport	Janes	"
21	1856, June 18-26	Syracuse, First Church	Waugh	Isaac S. Bingham
22	1857, June 3-9	Potsdam	Baker	"
23	1858, June 2-8	Jordan	Ames	"
24	1859, May 18-26	Canton	Scott	John B. Foote
25	1860, April 18-25	Rome, First Church	Simpson	"
26	1861, April 24-30	Pulaski	Baker	"
27	1862, April 23-28	Oswego, Trinity	Ames	"
28	1863, April 15-22	Watertown, Arsenal St.	Janes	"
29	1864, April 13-19	Adams	Baker	"
30	1865, April 19-26	Potsdam	Kingsley	"
31	1866, April 19-25	Fulton	Ames	Isaac S. Bingham
32	1867, April 17-24	Syracuse, First Church	Janes	"
33	1868, April 8-13	Malone	Simpson	"
34	1869, April 15-19	Watertown, State St.	Clark	"
35	1870, April 21-25	Ogdensburg	Ames	"
36	1871, April 27-May 1	Adams	Janes	"
37	1872, April 10-15	Canton		"

NORTHERN NEW YORK CONFERENCE

1	1873, April 16-22	Utica, First Church	Peck	Sidney O. Barnes
2	1874, April 29-May 5	Carthage	Foster	"
3	1875, April 28-May 5	Mexico	Scott	"
4	1876, April 5-11	Potsdam	Andrews	"
5	1877, April 18-24	Watertown, Arsenal St.	Bowman	"
6	1878, April 10-15	Rome, First Church	Haven	"
7	1879, April 9-16	Lowville	Harris	"
8	1880, April 14-20	Ilion	Peck	"
9	1881, April 13-19	Oswego, First Church	Foster	Samuel Call
10	1882, April 12-18	Malone	Andrews	"
11	1883, April 11-17	Watertown, State St.	Wiley	"
12	1884, April 9-16	Utica, First Church	Harris	Mel. R. Webster
13	1885, April 9-14	Ogdensburg	Warren	"
14	1886, April 15-20	Fulton	Merrill	"
15	1887, April 14-19	Little Falls	Foss	"
16	1888, April 4-10	Rome, First Church	Foster	"
17	1889, April 10-16	Lowville	Ninde	"
18	1890, April 9-15	Oswego, Trinity	Newman	"
19	1891, April 15-21	Watertown, Arsenal St.	Hurst	"
20	1892, April 13-19	Utica, First Church	Bowman	James B. Kenyon
21	1893, April 19-24	Malone, Centenary	FitzGerald	Chas. C. Townsend
22	1894, April 18-23	Ogdensburg	Goodsell	"
23	1895, April 17-22	Herkimer	Mallalieu	"
24	1896, April 8-12	Oswego, First Church	Joyce	"
25	1897, April 13-19	Watertown, State St	Warren	"
26	1898, April 13-18	Fulton, First Church	Ninde	"
27	1899, April 19-24	Camden	McCabe	"
28	1900, April 18-23	Rome, First Church	Walden	"
29	1901, April 17-23	Mexico	Fowler	"
30	1902, April 16-21	Malone, Centenary	Andrews	"
31	1903, April 22-27	Carthage	Cranston	"
32	1904, April 6-11	Ilion	Merrill	"
33	1905, April 12-17	Watertown, Arsenal St	Berry	"
34	1906, April 18-23	Utica, First Church	Goodsell	"
35	1907, April 17-22	Gouverneur	Wilson	William G. Atwell
36	1908, April 15-20	Camden	Moore	"
37	1909, April 14-19	Potsdam	McDowell	"
38	1910, April 13-18	Watertown, Arsenal St.	Moore	"

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1846.

Eli C. Bruce ..... Sup.

1849.

Sanger Dewey ..... Sup.

1850.

Austin M. Roe ..... Sup.

1855.

Samuel M. Fisk ..... Sup.

1856.

*David W. Aylesworth ..... Sup.
*Samuel Call ..... Sup.
*William L. Tisdale ..... Sup.

1857.

Samuel E. Brown ..... Sup.

1858.

*Thomas B. Shepherd ..... Sup.
*Samuel Short ..... Sup.

1859.

*Benjamin F. Wood ..... Sup.

1860.

Asa L. Smith ..... Sup.

1861.

Charles W. Brooks ..... Sup.
*Edwin S. Cheeseman ..... Sup.
Robert Flint ..... Sup.
Melvin D. Kinney ..... Sup.

1862.

*Alexander Bramley ..... Sup.
*Wilbur F. Markham ..... Sup.

1863.

*Henry W. P. Allen ..... Eff.
*W. Dempster Chase ..... Eff.

1864

*Sidney O. Barnes ..... Sup.
*Henry W. Bennett ..... Sup.
Henry Hesselgrave ..... Sup.
Isaac B. VanValkenberg ..... Sup.

1865.

*Jonathan B. Hammond ..... Eff.

1866.

Leroy Grant ..... Sup.
*Thomas H. McClenthen ..... Sup.

1868.

George B. Fairhead ..... Sup.
*William R. Helms ..... Sup.

1869.

*Wilson F. Ball ..... Sup.
Anson D. Webster ..... Sup.

1870.

*William M. Holbrook ..... Sup.
*William F. Purington ..... Sy.

1871.

William C. Goodwin ..... Sup.
*Lemuel B. Gray ..... Eff.
*Albert P. Palmer ..... Eff.
†H. Eugene Waugh ..... Sup.

1872.

Leonard L. Davy ..... Sup.

1873.

*William H. Bury ..... Eff.
†William Williams ..... Eff.

1874.

George W. Bent ..... Sup.

1875.

*J. George Benson ..... Eff.
Irving J. Nourse ..... Sup.
Willis E. Reynolds ..... Sy.

1876.

William H. Kanoff ..... Sup.
*David F. Pierce ..... Eff.
John L. Short ..... Sup.
Robert F. Whipple ..... Sup.

1877.

William H. Hall ..... Sup.
Richard J. Smith ..... Sy.
Truman Weed ..... Sup.

1878.

*Stephen T. Dibble ..... Eff.
*Henry Ernst ..... Eff.

1879.

*George Ernst ..... Eff.
Dallas L. Phelps ..... Sup.
Byram G. Sanford ..... Sy.

1880.

*Smith W. Brown ..... Eff.
Julius E. Hall ..... Sup.
Francis B. Stanford ..... Sup.

1881.

*B. DeForest Snyder ..... Sup.

1882.

*Alfred G. Austin ..... Eff.
*Abner J. Felshaw ..... Eff.
*Harry B. Fritts ..... Eff.
*Samuel J. Greenfield ..... Eff.
Hardin M. Hughs ..... Sy.
*George Merritt ..... Eff.
*Charles H. Walton ..... Eff.
George W. Wood ..... Sup.

1883.

*Elliott E. Cheeseman ..... Eff.
*William J. Hancock ..... Eff.
*Albert C. Loucks ..... Eff.
*William D. Marsh ..... Eff.
*Charles C. Townsend ..... Eff.

1884

*Matthew D. Sill ..... Eff.

1885

*Eugene H. Joy ..... Eff.
*Charles E. Miller ..... Eff.
*Theron A. Story ..... Eff.
*William H. Summers ..... Eff.

1886.

*Frank E. Arthur ..... Eff.
*Orson M. Kelley ..... Eff.
*Jesse F. Rathbun ..... Eff.

1887.

*Hobart L. Campbell ..... Eff.
Jasper W. Highby ..... Sup.
*Charles M. Smith ..... Eff.
*William Thomas ..... Eff.

1888.

†Benjamin G. Miller ..... Eff.
*James M. Thomas ..... Eff.

1889.

†Richard F. Bayliss ..... Eff.
*William P. Garrett ..... Eff.
*Duane C. Johnson ..... Eff.
*W. Herbert Moore ..... Eff.

1890.

*T. Franklin Alexander ..... Eff.
†Marshall Duesler ..... Eff.
*Alonzo Hand ..... Eff.
*Jabez Stallwood ..... Eff.
*Walter G. Wilmshurst ..... Eff.

1891.

*Silas G. Carley ..... Eff.
*John C. Culligan ..... Eff.
*Raymond H. Ferguson ..... Eff.
*Willis A. Haven ..... Eff.
*Henry W. Jago ..... Eff.
*Florello L. Knapp ..... Eff.
*Charles J. Middleton ..... Eff.
*Charles A. Miller ..... Eff.
Alfred E. Page ..... Sy.
Isaac C. Smith ..... Eff.

1892.

*Ulysses E. Brown ..... Eff.
Albert H. Zimmerman ..... Eff.

1893.

*William G. Atwell ..... Eff.
*Joseph Lobb ..... Eff.
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1894.

*Matthew H. Dowd ..... Eff.
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1895.

*Joseph A. Chapman ..... Eff.
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1896.

*Joseph W. Barrett ..... Eff.
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*Arthur F. Pennock ..... Eff.
*William A. Sullivan ..... Eff.

1898.

*Frederick Maunder ..... Eff.
*Frederick A. Miller ..... Eff.

1899.

*Jordan R. Fretz ..... Eff.
*Clarence V. Haven ..... Eff.
†William E. Kelley ..... Eff.
*Fred H. Lewis ..... Eff.

1900.

*William M. Caldwell ..... Eff.
*Aaron B. Corbin ..... Eff.
*Norman A. Darling ..... Eff.
Clark A. Robinson ..... Eff.

1901.

*William D. Aubrey ..... Eff.
*William H. English ..... Eff.
Frederick M. Harvey ..... Eff.

1902.

*Henry J. Carey ..... Eff.
*Clyde M. Gearhart ..... Eff.
*Herbert E. Davis ..... Eff.
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*Samuel H. Stokes ..... Eff.
George A. Wilkinson ..... Eff.

1903.

*Wesley I. Andrews ..... Eff.
Frank Beale ..... Eff.
George A. Comerford ..... Eff.
Sidney J. Sarver ..... Eff.

1904.

*Berton F. Ceigler ..... Eff.
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1905.

*Marcus A. Bartlett ..... Eff.
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1906.

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1907.

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On the roll of 1909	189
Received from probation	14
Received from transfer	3
Received from other denominations	3
Total	209
Taken from the roll:	
By death	8
By transfer	7
By withdrawal	2
Total	17
Leaving at adjournment	192
Divided as follows:	
In the effective relation	138
In the supernumerary relation	9
In the superannuated relation	45

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1908—*Ottavio B. Neyroz
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Hamilton P. Fox
Albert G. Judd
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Ray W. Putnam
J. Alvin Sypher

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Temperance—C. L. Peck, F. N. Churchill, Wm. Williams, E. E. Cheeseman, A. C. Loucks, C. E. Woodley, J. B. Hammond, A. F. Pennock.

To Preach the Missionary Sermon—J. A. Chapman; Alternate, F. B. Severance.

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Departments.	STUDIES	EXAMINERS
English and Philosophy	Elementary English Outlines of Psychology	*F. A. Miller, Fulton*
Logic and Rhetoric	Lessons in Logic Principles of Rhetoric	*C. L. Peck, Fulton*
General History	Outlines of History Outlines of Universal History	*F. B. Severance, Lowville*
American and English History	American History History of English People	*G. F. Shepherd, Mexico*
Church History	History of Christian Church, Vol. I. History of Christian Church, Vol. II.	*W. J. Hart, Utica*
Methodist History and Polity	Wesley and his Century Discipline of the M. E. Church	*S. T. Dibble, Ogdensburg*
Ethics and Homiletics	Studies in Ethical Principles Lectures on Homiletics	*N. A. Darling, Plessis*
Sermons and Essays	Sermon; Admission, 1st, 3rd years Essays; 2nd, 4th years	*W. M. Caldwell, Frankfort*
Theism	Grounds of Christian and Theistic Belief Analogy of Religion	*Frederick Maunder, Pulaski*
Biblical Theology	Divine Library of Old Testament Ancestry of Our English Bible	*W. P. Garrett, Lafargeville*
Exegetical Theology	Biblical Hermeneutics	*H. W. Markham, Camden*
Historical Theology	Manual of Bible History Governing Conference in Methodism	*W. A. Sullivan, Newport*
Christian Doctrine	System of Christian Doctrine, pp. 1-322 System of Christian Doctrine pp. 325-635	*E. B. Topping, Rome*
Practical Theology	A Manual of Christian Doctrine Plain Account of Christian Perfection	*S. S. Davis, Adams*

Plan of Study and Examination

FIRST YEAR

Time	Studies	Reading
May	Divine Library of Old Testament	History of American Methodism
June	Divine Library of Old Testament	History of American Methodism
July	Divine Library of Old Testament	Asbury's Journal
August	System of Christian Doctrine	Wesley's Sermons, Vol. I, I-XXXIII
September	System of Christian Doctrine pp. 1-324	Wesley's Sermons, Vol. I, I-XXXIII
October	Review and Examination	How to be a Pastor
November	Lectures on Homiletics	Digest of Methodist Law
December	Lectures on Homiletics	Digest of Methodist Law
January	Student's American History	Extemporaneous Oratory
February	Student's American History	Social Message of Modern Pulpit
March	Review and Examination	Methodist Review

SECOND YEAR

Time	Studies	Reading
May	Ancestry of Our English Bible	Wesley's Sermons, Vol. I, XXXIV-LVIII
June	Ancestry of Our English Bible	Wesley's Sermons, Vol. I, XXXIV-LVIII
July	System of Christian Doctrine, pp. 325-635	History of Methodism, Vol. I
August	System of Christian Doctrine, pp. 325-635	History of Methodism, Vol. I
September	System of Christian Doctrine, pp. 325-635	History and Exposition of 25 Articles of Religion
October	Review and Examination	History and Exposition of 25 Articles of Religion
November	Lessons in Logic	English and American Literature
December	Lessons in Logic	The Pastor and Modern Missions
January	Short History of English People	How to Conduct a Sunday School
February	Short History of English People	The Church and Social Problem
March	Review and Examination	Methodist Review

THIRD YEAR

Time	Studies	Reading
May	Biblical Hermeneutics	History of Methodism, Vol. II
June	Biblical Hermeneutics	History of Methodism, Vol. II
July	Outlines of Universal History, Part I	The Christian Faith, pp. 1-253
August	Outlines of Universal History, Part II	The Christian Faith, pp. 1-253
September	History of the Christian Church, Vol. I	History of Western Europe
October	Review and Examination	Christianity and Social Crisis
November	Outlines of Descriptive Psychology	Psychological Principles of Education
December	Outlines of Descriptive Psychology	The Bible: Its Origin and Nature
January	Governing Conference in Methodism	Hymn Treasures
February	Governing Conference in Methodism	Ecclesiastical Architecture
March	Review and Examination	Methodist Review

FOURTH YEAR

Time	Studies	Reading
May	Grounds of Theistic and Christian Belief	History of Methodism, Vol. III
June	Grounds of Theistic and Christian Belief	History of Methodism, Vol. III
July	Analogy of Religion	The Christian Faith, pp. 257-531
August	Studies in Ethical Principles	The Christian Faith, pp. 257-531
September	Studies in Ethical Principles	Sociology
October	Review and Examination	The Land of Israel
November	History of the Christian Church, Vol. II	Philosophy of Christian Religion
December	History of the Christian Church, Vol. II	The Study of the Child
January	Outlines of Universal History, Part III	Pentateuch
February	Outlines of Universal History, Part III	Social Aspects of Religious Institutions
March	Review and Examination	Methodist Review

Rules for the Board of Examiners

(Adopted by the Conference.)

1. **Semi-Annual Examinations**—The fall examinations shall be held during the last ten days in October, under the supervision of the member of the Board appointed by the Registrar for each of the Districts, who shall decide the time and place of the examination. The spring examinations shall be held during March under similar supervision.

All question papers must consist of ten questions and be in typewritten form. In case there are more the students shall be required to answer but ten.

All questions shall be returned with the student's paper.

2. **Special Examinations**—In case any student shall be absent from or fails in the semi-annual examinations, he shall, if he desires a special examination, notify the Registrar to that effect before March 1st, and an examination shall be granted at the seat of and on the day preceding the next session of the annual Conference.

3. **Candidates for Admission**—Candidates for admission on trial shall be examined on the day preceding the session of the annual Conference at the seat of the Conference.

4. **Examination for Local Orders**—Candidates for local orders shall be examined on the day preceding the session of the annual Conference, at the seat of the Conference, by a committee appointed by the board for that purpose.

5. **Correspondence**—The students are invited to enter into correspondence with the examiners on matters pertaining to studies pursued, and each examiner may give such aid as he deems necessary; but all questions relating to the general work of the board, such as special examinations, etc., must be sent to the Registrar. All correspondence requiring an answer must be accompanied by return postage.

6. **Sermons and Essays.**—Students in studies of the first and third years are requested in preparing sermons to have them consist of not less than 3,000 nor more than 4,000 words, and to construct them on the principles of Kern's Homiletics; and those in the studies of the 2nd and 4th years are requested to have their essays consist of not less than 2,000 nor more than 3,000 words, and to construct them on the principles of Hill's Rhetoric.

7. **Report of Examinations.**—The Registrar shall report in open Conference each year the names of the students who have complied with our rule for the semi-annual examinations, and the rule governing sermons and essays.

8. **Reading**—Throughout the entire course the student shall present written statements as to whether he has or has not given each book to be read a complete and careful reading.

9. **Certificate of Graduation**—The Board of Examiners has prepared a certificate of graduation, which, upon the payment of fifty cents will be given to each undergraduate who completes the Conference Course of Study.

Residences of the Bishops

1872 Thomas Bowman* ..... East Orange, N. J.
1880 Henry W. Warren ..... University Park, Colo.
1884 John M. Walden* ..... 220 W. Fourth St., Cincinnati, O.
1884 Willard F. Mallalieu* ..... Auburndale, (Boston), Mass.
1888 John H. Vincent* ..... Indianapolis, Ind.
1896 Earl Cranston ..... Washington, D. C.
1900 David H. Moore ..... 220 W. Fourth St., Cincinnati, O.
1900 John W. Hamilton ..... 36 Bromfield St., Boston, Mass.
1904 Joseph F. Berry ..... 455 Franklin St., Buffalo, N. Y.
1904 William F. McDowell ..... 57 Washington St., Chicago, Ill.
1904 James W. Bashford ..... Peking, China.
1904 William Burt ..... 30 Voltastrasse, Zurich, Switzerland.
1904 Luther B. Wilson ..... Philadelphia, Pa.
1904 Thomas B. Neely ..... New Orleans, La.
1908 William F. Anderson ..... Chattanooga, Tenn.
1908 John L. Nuelsen ..... Omaha, Neb.
1908 William A. Quayle ..... Oklahoma City, Okla.
1908 Charles W. Smith ..... Portland, Ore.
1908 Wilson S. Lewis ..... Foochow, China
1908 Edwin H. Hughes ..... 435 Buchanan St., San Francisco, Cal.
1908 Robert McIntyre ..... Saint Paul, Minn.
1908 Frank M. Bristol ..... Buenos Ayres, Argentina, So. America

MISSIONARY BISHOPS.

1888 James M. Thoburn* ..... Meadville, Pa.
1896 Joseph C. Hartzell ..... Funchal, Madeira Islands.
1900 Frank W. Warne ..... Lucknow, India.
1904 Isaiah B. Scott ..... Monrovia, Liberia.
1904 William F. Oldham ..... Singapore, Straits Settlements.
1904 John E. Robinson ..... Calcutta, India.
1904 Merriman C. Harris ..... Seoul, Korea.

The figures indicate year elected. * Retired.

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REV. CHARLES E. MILLER
CONFERENCE HOST

OFFICIAL JOURNAL

FIRST DAY—FIRST SESSION.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Wednesday, 9:00 a. m., April 13, 1910.

Opening.—The Northern New York Conference began its thirty-eighth session in Arsenal Street Church, Watertown, New York, April 13, 1910, at 9:00 a. m., Bishop David H. Moore, D. D., LL. D., presiding. Hymn 141 "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" was sung. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered by the bishop, assisted by the entertaining pastor, C. E. Miller, and the district superintendents.

Roll Call.—The secretary of the last Conference, W. G. Atwell, called the roll of the Conference, 126 members and 23 probationers responded to their names. While the Conference stood, the secretary called the names of the following deceased members: Wicks S. Titus, Harlow Skeel, Jonathan G. Brooks, Albert C. Danforth, Webster Ingersoll, F. Kingsley Pierce, Myron G. Seymour and Albert W. Locke. He also announced the following transfers: W. D. Waller, received by transfer from Central Provinces Mission Conference and transferred to the Colorado Conference; W. H. Baker, transferred to the Puget Sound Conference; F. G. Curtis, transferred to the South Kansas Conference and transferred back from the South Kansas Conference.

Election of Officers.—On motion of S. W. Brown, W. G. Atwell was elected secretary with the privilege of nominating his own assistants. He nominated G. F. Shepherd, W. M. Hydon, A. B. Corbin; F. A. Miller, business agent; C. T. Holcombe, stenographer, and they were elected. On motion of J. G. Benson, W. H. Pullen was elected statistician with the privilege of nominating his own assistants. He nominated W. I. Andrews, D. E. Robson, F. R. Griffiths, J. F. Day, R. K. Sheffield, C. B. Wallace, R. A. Nunn, L. A. Griggs, J. R. Fretz, C. H. Carter. They were elected. S. W. Brown nominated E. L. Shepard as treasurer. He asked to be relieved from further service and nominated J. W. Barrett as his successor with the privilege of nominating his assistants, and he was elected. He nominated as assistant treasurer, C. M. Gearhart; district treasurers, H. B. Fritts, C. V. Haven, W. H. English, Adelbert Warren, N. A. Darling, and they were elected.

Committees.—On motion of C. C. Townsend the following were appointed a committee to collect money for the minutes of the Conference; A. E. Moody, B. R. Gabriel, A. K. Jennings, N. A. Bartlett, O. E. Raymond. He also read the list of standing committees of last year; necessary substitutions were made and confirmed. (See list). On motion of W. H. MacClenthen, the special committees as nominated last year were confirmed for this year with the exception of the committees already nominated. Committees on Memoirs and on Connectional Fund were ordered. (See list).

Privilege of Floor.—On motion of W. H. MacClenthen, all persons desiring to address the Conference aside from members and official visitors were referred to the committee on Privilege of Addressing the Conference.

Bar of Conference.—On motion of S. J. Greenfield, the bar of the Conference was fixed as the inside of the central window.

Instruction Granted.—F. L. Knapp reported money in his hands belonging to the Conference Missionary Society and asked for instruction regarding the same. On motion of S. J. Greenfield, it was ordered that the money be turned over to the treasurer of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension.

Sympathy Extended.—On motion of Frederick Maunder, the secretary was instructed to send a message of condolence to S. E. Brown whose wife died on Tuesday.

Introduced.—The bishop introduced Dr. Joseph B. Hingeley who addressed the Conference in behalf of the Connectional Fund of the Board of Conference Claimants.

QUESTION 1.—*"Is this Annual Conference incorporated according to the requirements of the Discipline?"* It was announced that it is.

QUESTION 3.—*"Who have been readmitted?"* It was announced that no one had been readmitted.

QUESTION 14.—*"Was the character of each preacher examined?"* The character of W. H. MacClenthen, superintendent of the Herkimer District was passed and he read his report. (See report). The names of the effective elders of the Herkimer district were called, their characters were passed, except S. D. Robinson, and they reported their collections. The character of S. W. Brown, superintendent of the Watertown district was passed and he read his report. (See report). The names of the effective elders of the Watertown District were called, their characters were passed and they reported their collections.

Select Number.—On motion of W. H. MacClenthen, a Select Number was appointed to consider the case of brother S. D. Robinson. The following constitute the committee: F. L. Knapp, chairman; E. H. Joy, D. C. Johnson, F. A. Miller, W. J. Hart, T. F. Alexander, E. B. Topping, H. W. Markham, S. T. Dibble, Jabez Stallwood, W. G. Wilmshurst, W. D. Marsh, W. A. Sullivan, E. E. Cheeseman, J. S. Wilds, W. H. Bury.

Transfer.—Joseph A. Chapman was announced as transferred from the Kentucky Conference and he was introduced.

Temperance.—Dr. G. E. Stockwell was introduced. He represented the Allied Temperance Organizations of this state and spoke in favor of the County Local Option bill. Dr. F. D. Blakeslee was introduced. He represented the Anti-Saloon League and spoke in favor of the City Option bill. On motion of W. R. Helms, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved.—That we rejoice in the work of the Anti-Saloon League, its

influence in creating temperance sentiment, and its accomplishments in securing temperance legislation and law enforcement.

We believe that local option should be extended to the cities of the State of New York; and, as a Conference, we feel honored that the Anti-Saloon League City Local Option bill was introduced and is supported in the Assembly by a member within our bounds, the Honorable F. J. Gray of Ogdensburg, and we most earnestly request all members of our State Legislature representing our territory to vote for, and to use all honorable means to secure the passage of that measure.

(Signed) D. F. PIERCE,
J. B. HAMMOND,
W. R. HELMS.

S. J. Greenfield spoke to the question.

The following resolution was introduced by C. L. Peck and on motion of S. J. Greenfield it was adopted:

Resolved.—That we welcome the introduction into the State Legislature of the measure known as the Gardner-Holden County Prohibition bill.

That we indorse its sweeping provisions for permanent no-license in acquired dry territory and that we urge and demand of our legislators the support of this bill.

(Signed) C. L. PECK,
F. B. SEVERANCE,
W. D. MARSH.

The secretary was instructed to send these resolutions by telegraph to the Senate and Assembly at Albany.

Barbara Heck Monument.—Dr. John Scanlon of Ontario was introduced and addressed the Conference in reference to the Barbara Heck Monument, asking the Conference to pay $75 additional to complete the payment on the same. On motion of D. F. Pierce, a committee was appointed to collect said amount, $25 each from the following districts: Utica, Watertown, Herkimer; the St. Lawrence and Oswego Districts having already contributed $81. George Ernst, C. A. Miller and J. W. Laird were appointed on said committee.

Dividends.—The secretary read communications concerning the Episcopal Fund and the Book Concern. The bishop presented a draft for $25, the dividend from the Chartered Fund; and a draft of $1,791 from the Book Concern. On motion of S. J. Greenfield, these drafts were ordered to be delivered to the treasurer of the Board of Trustees.

Conference Relations.—On motion of W. H. MacClenthen, it was ordered that the names of the supernumerary preachers who ask for change of relation, also all candidates for admission on trial or in full connection, and such others as may be referred by the Conference or cabinet be sent to the Conference Relations Committee.

Officers and Committees.—On motion of J. B. Hammond, the names of all officers and committees were ordered printed for the use of the Conference.

Vouchers.—On motion of D. F. Pierce, all vouchers signed by D. F. Pierce or George Sanborn for the Italian church building in Utica, were ordered to be received by the treasurer under Other Benevolent Collections.

Reports.—The annual reports of the pastors were ordered collected by the statisticians.

Program.—On motion of W. H. MacClenthen, the Conference approved of the program printed in the directory.

Minutes.—On motion of F. A. Miller, the assessments for the publication of the minutes and other expenses of the Conference was made as follows: Each pastor and district superintendent shall pay one-half of one per cent. of his salary exclusive of house rent, and shall receive minutes at the rate of six for one dollar.

Announcements. The secretary announced the death of F. B. Severance of Kansas who was formerly a member of this Conference. The bishop referred to the deaths of bishops Goodsell, Spellmeyer and Foss, and on motion of D. F. Pierce the bishop was requested to speak at the memorial service on Sunday on bishop Goodsell who was to have presided at this Conference. The call of committee meetings was made, the notices were given by the pastor, C. E. Miller, the doxology sung, the benediction was pronounced by Alexander Bramley and the Conference stood adjourned at 12:15 p. m.

SECOND DAY—SECOND SESSION.

Thursday, 8:15 a. m., April 14, 1910.

Opening.—The Conference was called to order at 8:15 a. m. The devotional hour was conducted by Rev. C. L. Meade, D. D., of Hoboken, N. J. The secretary called the roll of absentees, five responding to their names. The minutes of the previous session were read, corrected and approved.

Excused.—The Board of Examiners was excused by common consent.

QUESTION 14.—*"Was the character of each preacher examined?"* The characters of A. C. Loucks, C. C. Townsend and D. F. Pierce, superintendents of the Oswego, St. Lawrence and Utica Districts respectively, were passed, and they read their reports. The names of the effective elders of these three districts were called, their characters were passed, and they reported their collections.

Introduced.—The bishop introduced Rev. David G. Downey, Secretary of the Board of Sunday Schools, Rev. Franklin Hamilton, D. D., Chancellor of the American University, Washington, D. C., Rev. L. H. Pearce, D. D., Editor of the Northern Christian Advocate, and they represented their respective interests.

Resolution.—A. P. Palmer presented the following resolution, which was adopted:

Whereas, There is confusion in the pastor's reports of funds raised for Conference Claimants, therefore

Resolved, That we direct that in all cases where the amounts apportioned for our home Conference Claimants have not been fully met, all money reported for Conference Claimants be put in that fund.

(Signed) A. P. PALMER.
T. F. ALEXANDER.

Introduced.—Dr. M. H. Harris, pastor of the local Universalist Church, Rev. C. A. Fox of the Free Methodist Church, Rev. G. A. Christie of the Holiness Church, Dr. C. L. Meade of the Newark Conference, and

Rev. John Richards of the Central New York Conference were introduced by the bishop.

Report of Select Number.—The Select Number in the case of S. D. Robinson reported as follows:

The meeting of the Select Number in the case of S. D. Robinson was called to order by the chairman in Asbury church, Wednesday afternoon, April 13, at 2 o'clock. Prayer was offered by E. H. Joy. W. H. MacClenthen read a communication from S. D. Robinson requesting that he be allowed to withdraw from the ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church. A motion was unanimously carried that he be permitted to withdraw under complaints from the ministry and the membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

On motion the select number adjourned.

(Signed) F. L. KNAPP, Chairman,
A. B. CORBIN, Secretary.

Committee.—On motion of W. D. Marsh, a committee of five was ordered on Arbitration and World Wide Peace. (See list).

Appointment.—On motion of A. C. Loucks, F. M. Harvey was left without an appointment to attend one of our schools.

Resolution.—W. D. Chase presented the following resolution which was adopted:

Since the McGrath Bill giving legality to Sunday base-ball has been reported favorably out of the Codes Committee; and since the statement has been made that, "If this bill is passed, they are preparing to act favorably on other similar bills, notably the Goldberg Bill; giving New York City magistrates discretion in dealing with the Sunday laws," and since it should always be the Legislature and its laws to control and not interested discretion, which can easily divert and nullify the laws; therefore, we the members of the Northern New York Conference at our annual session in Watertown, and representing a large Christian constituency, appeal to our legislators not to suffer these bills to become laws.

(Signed) J. G. CORNWELL,
T. F. ALEXANDER,
W. D. CHASE,
T. B. SHEPHERD.

QUESTION 11.—*"What members have completed the Conference course of Study?"* The following names were called; the registrar reported their examinations and on motion of their respective superintendents they were graduated from the course of study and elected to elders' orders: Charles H. Carter, Leroy A. Griggs, Charles T. Holcombe, David E. Robson, Frederick R. Griffiths, Theophilus Wells, Roy W. Scouten, Frank N. Churchill.

Closing.—The list of standing and special committees was called, announcements were made, the doxology sung, the benediction was pronounced by T. B. Shepherd and the Conference stood adjourned at 12:05 p. m.

THIRD DAY—THIRD SESSION.

Friday, 8:15 a. m., April 15, 1910.

Opening.—The Conference was called to order at 8:15 a. m., by Bishop Moore and he conducted the devotional exercises. The minutes were read and approved.

QUESTION 10.—*"What members are in studies of the fourth year?"*

The following names were called: B. S. Swartz, M. A. Bartlett; their characters were passed, the registrar reported their examinations and on motion they were advanced to the studies of the fourth year; and W. A. Gardner on condition that he bring up studies in which he is deficient.

QUESTION 8.—*"Who have been admitted into full membership?"*

(*a*) *"Elected and ordained deacons this year."* The following names were called; C. B. Wallace, J. W. Laird, H. T. Zeiders, W. J. Lawyer, R. A. Nunn, A. K. Jennings. Their characters were passed, the registrar reported their examinations, their cases were represented by the committee on Conference Relations and their respective district superintendents, and on motion they were admitted into full membership into the Conference, elected to deacons' orders, and advanced to studies of the third year.

(*b*) *"Elected and ordained deacons previously."* The following names were called, their characters were passed, the registrar reported, and they were advanced to the third year; Alfred Harries, O. E. Raymond, F. C. Schorge, C. F. Miller, William J. Nesbitt, also R. W. Scouten having completed the course of study. Through W. R. Helms, Mrs. A. C. Danforth presented to the members of this class certain books from her husband's library. The class stood while Bishop Moore addressed them and asked the disciplinary questions; and on motion they were received into full membership.

Introduced.—The following were introduced: Dr. Robert Forbes, Corresponding Secretary of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension; Dr. E. M. Randall, General Secretary of the Epworth League; Dr. A. S. Cavanaugh, Superintendent of the Methodist Episcopal Hospital in Brooklyn; Dr. C. D. Skinner, President of Cazenovia Seminary, Dr. R. Evans, President of Folts Mission Institute; and they spoke in the interest of their work. Rev. B. B. Cook spoke for the Christian Workers Conference of Cazenovia.

QUESTION 6.—*'Who have been continued on trial?"*

(*a*) *"In studies of the first year."* The names of Benjamin Thomas and A. E. Moody were called, their characters were passed, the registrar reported their examinations, and they were continued in the studies of the first year.

(*b*) *"In studies of the second year?"* The following names were called: H. C. Campbell, A. E. Budd; their characters were passed, the registrar reported their examinations, and on motion they were advanced to the studies of the second year. The following were also advanced to the studies of the second year on condition that they bring up the studies in which they are deficient: F. E. Loan, C. N. Thomas, F. W. Dunning, Arthur Darling, S. B. Owens and H. E. Eades.

(*c*) *"In the studies of the third year?"* The name of Arthur Darling was called; the report of the registrar given, and he was continued in the studies of the third year on condition that he bring up the studies in which he is deficient.

The name of C. S. Dopp was read, the registrar reported his examin-

ations, and the bishop announced his transfer to the Central New York Conference and instructed the registrar to send his credits to the secretary of said Conference.

QUESTION 13.—*"What others have been elected and ordained elders?"*

(*a*)*"As local deacons."* The following recommendations for elders' orders were received: From the Oswego District, F. C. Schorge; from the St. Lawrence District, W. C. Cramer; from the Watertown District, C. B. Austin; their examinations were reported by the registrar, and on motion of their respective district superintendents they were elected to elders' orders.

QUESTION 12.—*'What others have been elected and ordained deacons?"*

(*c*) *"Under seminary rule."* On motion Arthur Darling was elected to deacons' orders.

QUESTION 11.—*"What members have completed the Conference course of studies?"* resumed.

(*a*) *"Elected and ordained elders this year."* The registrar reported the examination of J. F. Day as completed; he was graduated from the course of study and elected to elders' orders.

QUESTION 25.—*"Who are the triers of appeals?"* The bishop appointed the following: J. B. Hammond, William Williams, H. W. Markham, E. B. Topping, C. M. Smith.

Home Missions.—C. C. Townsend read the report of the cabinet on Home Missions and Church Extension appropriations, and on his motion the report was adopted and ordered sent to the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension.

Barbara Heck.—C. A. Miller asked for instruction in regard to monies collected for the Barbara Heck monument. On motion of D. F. Pierce, it was ordered that monies raised for this purpose be given to the several district superintendents on whose district money had been raised and that they give vouchers for the same.

Trustees' Report.—S. J. Greenfield presented the completed report of the Board of Trustees and on motion of D. F. Pierce it was adopted without reading. (See report).

Cazenovia Seminary.—On motion of W. D. Marsh, all monies reported to the Conference treasurer for general education and local educational interests were directed to be turned over to Cazenovia Seminary.

Conference Trustees.—W. H. English read the report of the committee nominating trustees of the Conference, naming W. H. MacClenthen, S. J. Greenfield and J. B. Hammond. They were elected.

Greetings.—W. D. Marsh extended to the Conference the greetings of Dr. J. L. Humphrey, and on his motion the secretary was requested to write him a letter of greetings and love.

Genesee Conference.—C. C. Townsend read a letter from Dr. Ray Allen, secretary of the Genesee Conference, in reference to the celebration

of their centennial at its next session, and extending an invitation to this Conference to be represented by a delegate. On motion D. F. Pierce was elected such delegate.

QUESTION 24.—*"Who are the superannuated preachers?"* The names of the following superannuated preachers were called and their cases were represented by the committee on Conference Relations; W. F. Markham, D. L. Phelps, A. M. Roe, E. C. Bruce, W. H. Hall, G. W. Bent, A. D. Webster, S. E. Brown, I. B. VanValkenberg, E. S. Cheeseman, H. W. Bennett, Sanger Dewey, Robert Flint, J. E. Hall, M. D. Kinney, S. M. Fiske, J. L. Short, Leroy Grant, A. L. Smith, Samuel Short, G. W. Wood, L. L. Davy, Henry Hesselgrave, H. E. Waugh, Samuel Call, I. J. Nourse, R. F. Whipple, W. H. Kanoff, D. W. Aylesworth, and B. DeF. Snyder. The following were also called who addressed the Conference: C. W. Brooks, B. F. Wood, T. H. MacClenthen, G. B. Fairhead, W. F. Ball, Alexander Bramley, W.M. Holbrook, S. O. Barnes, T. B. Shepherd and W. L. Tisdale. On motion they were continued in the superannuated relation. During the calling of these names the Conference sung "In the Sweet Bye and Bye," and "Come Ye that Love the Lord." The bishop spoke feelingly to the veterans. On motion of D. F. Pierce, the secretary was instructed to send a letter of greetings to Sanger Dewey.

QUESTION 23.—*"Who are the supernumerary preachers?"* On the recommendation of the committee on Conference Relation, B. G. Sanford and R. J. Smith were changed from the superannuated to the supernumerary relation.

Closing.—The bishop gave notices regarding the Book Concern and recent pamphlets of Bishop Cranston; committee meetings were announced; notices given by the pastor of the church; the doxology was sung; the benediction was pronounced by T. H. MacClenthen, and the Conference stood adjourned at 12 o'clock.

FOURTH DAY— FOURTH SESSION.

Saturday, 8:15, a. m., April 16, 1910.

Opening.—The Conference was called to order at 8:15 a. m. The devotional exercises were conducted by Bishop Moore. The minutes were read by the secretary and approved.

QUESTION 24.—*"Who are the superannuated preachers?"* resumed. The following names were called: W. C. Goodwin and J. W. Higby: on motion of the committee on Conference Relations they were continued in the same relation; and on motion Truman Weed was changed from the supernumerary to the superannuated relation. On motion H. W. P. Allen was changed from the superannuated to the effective relation.

QUESTION 23.—*"Who are the supernumerary preachers?"* resumed. On motion of the committee on Conference Relations H. M. Hughs was changed from the superannuated to the supernumerary relation; J. F. Rathbun was changed from the supernumerary to the effective relation;

A. E. Page, W. F. Purington, Judson Davis, W. E. Reynolds, B. G. Miller and O. J. Houghton were continued in the supernumerary relation.

QUESTION 19.—*"Who have withdrawn?"* G. H. Orvis withdrew from the ministry of our church and his parchments were endorsed and returned.

QUESTION 5.—*"Who have been received on trial?"*

(*a*) *"In the studies of the first year?"* The following names were called; J. A. Sypher, recommended by the Oswego District Conference; R. W. Putnam, C. J. Oleson and H. P. Fox, recommended by the Herkimer District Conference; W. K. Bradshaw, recommended by the Watertown District Conference; A. G. Judd, recommended by the Rehoboth Quarterly Conference of the Central Pennsylvania Annual Conference. The registrar reported their examinations, their cases were represented by the committee on Conference Relations and the district superintendents, and on motion they were admitted on trial and placed in the studies of the first year. C. J. Oleson was elected to deacons' orders under the seminary rule.

QUESTION 4.—*"Who have been received from other churches and on what credentials?"* The name of George Comerford was presented, his credentials from the Methodist Church of Canada as an elder, and a certificate of recognition of the same from the Wilmington Conference, and a recommendation from the Watertown District Conference were presented. The name of I. C. Smith was presented; his credentials from the Montreal Conference of the Methodist Church of Canada were presented; the name of C. A. Robinson was called, his credentials from the Onondaga Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church were presented; their cases were represented by the committee on Conference Relations and the district superintendents, and on motion their orders were recognized; they were admitted into full membership as deacons and placed in the studies of the third year. The bishop asked them if they had considered the disciplinary questions.

Conference Funds.—On motion of D. F. Pierce all claims on the Conference funds shall begin with the date of admission into an annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Charter Amendment.—On motion of S. J. Greenfield the trustees were directed to secure an amendment to the Charter in harmony with the action just taken in reference to Conference funds.

Instruction to Trustees.—S. J. Greenfield made the following motions which were carried. A. C. Loucks, S. J. Greenfield and D. F. Pierce spoke to the questions:

1. Moved, That the Board of Trustees be authorized to sell any securities held in trust by it and reinvest the proceeds.
2. Moved, That the policy followed by the Board of Trustees in not limiting the investment of funds to securities legal for trust funds in the State of New York be approved by the Conference, and the Board be authorized to continue the same policy.

Introduced.—The following were introduced and addressed the Conference: Prof. William N. Rice, in behalf of Wesleyan University; Chancellor J. R. Day, in behalf of Syracuse University; Dr. L. H. Pearce, for the Northern Christian Advocate; Dr. Ezra S. Tipple, in behalf of Drew Theological Seminary. Rev. B. F. Lukens, the pastor of Stone

Street Presbyterian Church, and Rev. G. H. Feltus, pastor of Hope Presbyterian Church were also introduced to the Conference.

QUESTION 32.—*"Where shall the next Conference be held?"* An invitation was extended by S. T. Dibble and F. D. Wallace to hold its next session in Ogdensburg, and it was unanimously accepted.

Home Missions.—W. H. MacClenthen read the report of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, and on motion of C. C. Townsend it was accepted and adopted. C. H. Walton read the report as Treasurer of the Evangelization Union of Utica on Italian work in that city. D. F. Pierce, W. H. MacClenthen, C. C. Townsend, J. B. Hammond and S. W. Brown spoke on the report. On motion $1,500 was authorized to be raised for Italian work in Utica on the same conditions as last year, and $600 for Italian work elsewhere in the Conference on the same conditions. The report as a whole was adopted. The following resolutions were adopted; W. D. Marsh and D. F. Pierce spoke to the resolutions:

Resolved, That the vouchers of the treasurer of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension for special gifts to Home Missionary work in the Conference be accepted by the treasurer of the Conference and reported in the column headed "Special Gifts for Home Missions and Church Extension."

Resolved, That we recommend that each pastor take a basket collection at the first communion service of the year for the Stittville Church, and that this collection be sent immediately to the treasurer of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, marked for Stittville Church.

The secretary read the nominations for the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension and they were confirmed. (See list.)

Reports.—W. G. Wilmshurst read the preliminary report of the Board of Stewards; J. G. Cornwell read the report of the committee on World Wide Peace and Arbitration; and A. P. Palmer read the report of the committee on Education. (See reports). The visitors named in the Educational report were confirmed and the reports were adopted. W. D. Marsh was elected trustee of Syracuse University. On motion a copy of the Minutes was ordered sent to Bishop Mallalieu.

Closing.—On motion of the secretary it was ordered that when we adjourn it be to meet at 8:00 o'clock Monday morning. Notices were given, the doxology was sung, the benediction was pronounced by B. F. Wood, and the Conference stood adjourned at 12:15.

FIFTH DAY—FIFTH SESSION.

Monday, 8:00 a. m., April 18, 1910.

Opening.—The Conference was called to order by Bishop Moore at 8 a. m., and he conducted the devotional exercises. The secretary read the minutes and they were approved.

Appointment.—The bishop appointed Frederick Maunder as a member of the Board of Examiners.

QUESTION 27.—*"What is the aggregate of the benevolence collections ordered by the General Conference as reported by the Conference treasurer?"* The treasurer reported $75,508 had been raised.

QUESTION 30.—*"What is the amount of the 5% of collections for the Conference Claimants Connectional Fund appointed by the treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants?"* $259 was reported.

Certificate.—The bishop presented the following certificate of ordination.

This Certifies, That in Watertown, New York, April 17, 1910, on the election of the Northern New York Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, I ordained as Deacons:

Arthur E. Darling	Robert A. Nunn
Asa K. Jennings	Chris J. Oleson
John W. Laird	Charles B. Wallace
Wellington J. Lawyer	Harry T. Zeiders

And assisted by *Elders* present the following *Elders*:

Chester B. Austin	Leroy A. Griggs
Charles H. Carter	Charles T. Holcombe
Frank N. Churchill	David E. Robson
Willliam C. Cecil Cramer	Frederick C. Schorge
J. Frank Day	Roy W. Scouten
Frederick R. Griffiths	Theophilus Wells

David H. Moore
President.

Dated Watertown, N. Y., April 18, 1910.

Reports.—The following reports were presented and on motion adopted. (See reports.) The treasurer's report by J. W. Barrett; the committee on District Conference Records by F. H. Lewis; on Episcopal Fund by C. F. Miller; on Periodicals and Book Concern by J. D. Poppe; on Post Offices by W. J. Lawyer; on State of the Country by C. V. Haven; on Clerical Life Insurance Association by G. F. Shepherd; on Church Insurance by George Merritt; on Sunday Schools and Young People's Societies by W. I. Andrews; on Bible Cause by Henry Ernst; on canvassing for the Methodist Review by B. R. Gabriel; on Connectional Fund by C. J. Middleton; on Auditing by H. J. Carey; the Conference Deaconess Board by C. M. Smith. C. C. Townsend presented the nominations for committees and boards for the ensuing year, and they were confirmed. W. G. Wilmshurst read the report of the Board of Stew-

ards. On motion of D. F. Pierce the report was amended so as to make the asking of the Conference to be the same as last year, viz: $5,500. The report as amended was adopted. W. H. Summers read the report of Temperance and it was adopted, nominating S. J. Greenfield and William Thomas trustees of the Anti-Saloon League. The statistical report was given by W. H. Pullen.

QUESTION 29.—*"What has been received on these claims and how has it been applied?"* It was reported that $5,161.37 had been received. For their application see report of Board of Stewards.

QUESTION 15.—*"Who have been transferred and to what Conferences?"* resumed. The bishop announced the following transfers; J. G. Cornwell to the Erie Conference; E. M. Crandall to the Southern California; C. E. Hastings to the West Texas; Valentine Ambrosine to the California.

Conference Rules.—On motion of F. E. Arthur the rules of the Board of Examiners were made a part of the rules of the Conference. On motion of E. L. Shepard the following rule was adopted:

Immediately following the organization of the Conference on the first day of its annual session, the statistician and the treasurer with their assistants shall collect the reports from the pastors.

QUESTION 23.—*'Who are the supernumerary preachers?"* resumed. On motion of D. F. Pierce, B. G. Miller was changed from the supernumerary to the effective relation. On motion of C. C. Townsend, E. E. Day was changed from the effective to the supernumerary relation.

QUESTION 24.—*"Who are the superannuated preachers?"* resumed. On motion of D. F. Pierce, W. R. Helms and F. B. Stanford were changed from the effective to the superannuated relation, and the latter was referred to the Board of Stewards for action this year.

Appointments.—On motion of D. F. Pierce the bishop was requested to appoint A. K. Jennings to Y. M. C. A. work, and on motion of W. H. MacClenthen, B. S. Swartz also to be appointed to Y. M. C. A. work. On motion of D. F. Pierce the bishop was requested to appoint W. D. Chase, secretary of the State Sabbath Association. On motion of W. H. MacClenthen, H. T. Zeiders was left without appointment to attend one of our schools.

Resolutions.—The following resolution offered by S. J. Greenfield was on motion adopted:

Moved that the secretaries be instructed to eliminate from the reports of the Board of Stewards and of the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees all figures indicating the years of service and the several amounts received by the beneficiaries.

On motion the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas: Since we, the members of the Northern New York Conference have accepted an invitation to hold our next session in Ogdensburg within the bounds of the St. Lawrence District;

Whereas: Bishop Lewis was born and educated within the territory of the said district;

Resolved: That we, as a Conference, request the Board of Bishops if in

harmony with their plan of Episcopal supervision to appoint Bishop Lewis to preside at the next session of the Northern New York Conference.

(Signed) S. T. DIBBLE,
JABEZ STALLWOOD,
W. H. JAGO,
C. C. TOWNSEND,
H. W. MARKHAM.
F. D. WALLACE.

Educational Money.—On motion of W. D. Marsh the action of the Conference directing educational money to be sent to Cazenovia Seminary was reconsidered, and such monies were ordered to be divided between Cazenovia Seminary and the General Board of Education; Cazenovia Seminary receiving 80% and the Board of Education 20%

Introduced.—Dr. G. M. Fowles, assistant to the corresponding secretaries of the Board of Foreign Missions, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Ordination.—The bishop ordained C. J. Oleson as deacon, his ordination having been omitted by error on Sunday.

Minutes.—On motion of J. B. Hammond the forms of will were ordered printed in the Minutes, and the secretary was authorized to print and edit the reports of the committees and the district superintendents.

Collection.—On motion of S. T. Dibble a collection was taken for the sexton of the local church, and $17.55 was received.

Resolutions.—The following resolutions were read by W. P. Garrett. The secretary put the motion regarding the bishop ,and by a rising vote it was adopted. The balance of the resolutions were, on motion, adopted by a rising vote. The report as a whole was adopted, and kindly words were spoken by the bishop.

Whereas we the members of the Northern New York Conference assembled for this thirty-eighth annual session find ourselves in the hospitable City of Watertown, enjoying again the genial brotherly spirit and able presidency of Bishop Moore;

Therefore Resolved:—That we feel deeply the loss to the Church of our late eminent Bishop Daniel A. Goodsell, duly designated to the presidency of our Conference. We admired his brilliant qualities and the conspicuously distinguished talents which made him a great bishop of the Church.

Resolved: That we give expression to our great satisfaction in having assigned to us in this emergency our beloved Bishop David H. Moore, D. D., LL. D., whom we first met and learned to love two years ago at our session in the village of Camden. We have enjoyed his versatile addresses, and especially the profound and impressive sermon of yesterday. May he have many more years of eminent usefulness to the church.

Resolved:—That we also sincerely extend our thanks to the people of Watertown for their generous hospitality, to the Chamber of Commerce, and Mayor Hugo for expression of cordial welcome, and to the ladies of the Church, for their eminent service in caring for our temporal needs. We congratulate and most heartily thank the pastor Rev. C. E. Miller for his painstaking work not only in the beautifying of this house of worship, but also for the splendid arrangements for the accommodation and convenience of the Conference. We felicitate him on the great success of the concert Wednesday evening, and express our hearty appreciation of the efforts of Prof. Seymour and his talented corps of musicians. We acknowledge our obligation to our most efficient secretaries, and treasurer together with their most faithful assistants, and assure them of our appreciation of their arduous duties, so well performed; to the stenographer and typewriter agent, to the Jefferson County National Bank, the Telephone Companies, for valued services, also to those who gave appreciated aid at the Conference-post-office, cloak room, and bureau of information. Further we wish to thank the Press of the City, for their enterprise in publishing so completely the proceedings of the Conference.

W. F. MARKHAM, Chairman.
W. P. GARRETT, Secretary.

Adjournment.—On motion of S. J. Greenfield it was ordered that after religious exercises, the reading of the minutes and the appointments, the Conference stand adjourned. The assistant secretary read the minutes and they were approved. The bishop addressed the Conference; Hymn No. *227*, "And let Our Bodies Part," was sung; prayer was offered by S. T. Dibble; the appointments were read by the bishop; the doxology was sung; the bishop pronounced the benediction and the Conference stood adjourned at 10:30 a. m.

[SIGNED]

David H. Moore.

President.

The foregoing is a copy of the Journal as approved by the Conference from day to day.

William G. Atwell

Secretary.

Dated, Watertown, N. Y., on this 18th day of April, 1910.

Public Services

(Reported by A. B. CORBIN.)

Welcome.—Tuesday evening, April 12, the Chamber of Commerce of the City of Watertown extended to the bishop and Conference a most cordial greeting in Washington Hall. Mayor Hugo, in behalf of the city, and Rev. A. M. Brodie, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, in behalf of the churches welcomed their guests and Bishop Moore felicitously responded.

Anniversary of the Board of Conference Claimants.—Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock. C. E. Miller presided and W. H. Holbrook led in prayer. Rev. Joseph Hingeley, D. D., Corresponding Secretary of the Board of Conference Claimants, presented the claims of the superannuates in a stirring address.

Evangelistic Institute.—Wednesday and Thursday afternoons at 4:30 o'clock, Rev. C. L. Meade, D. D., of Hoboken, N. J., conducted in Asbury Chapel a helpful and inspirational institute upon evangelism.

Concert.—Wednesday evening Prof. Seymour, as conductor, with a large chorus and orchestra, presented selections from the oratorios of "St. Paul" and "Elijah." The proceeds were used by the local church in helping to defray the expenses of entertaining the Conference.

Sunday School Anniversary.—Dr. D. G. Downey, Corresponding Secretary of the Board of Sunday Schools spoke Thursday afternoon at two o'clock upon the theme "The Spiritual Culture of the Sunday School." At this anniversary W. A. Sullivan presided and E. H. Joy led in prayer.

American University.—3:30 Thursday afternoon. Jabez Stallwood offered prayer. Dr. Franklin Hamilton, Chancellor of the American University at Washington, spoke upon the theme, "The importance of Christian Training for Future Leadership." At this service J. S. Wilds presided.

Freedmen's Aid Anniversary.—Dr. M. C. B. Mason gave one of his characteristic addresses upon the Negro problem, Thursday evening. T. F. Alexander presided and W. R. Helms led in prayer.

Missionary Sermon.—Friday afternoon at two o'clock. C. E. Miller presided, A. F. Pennock read the Scripture lesson and prayer was offered by J. W. Laird. W. M. Caldwell delivered a thoughtful sermon from Hebrews 10:13 as a text.

Epworth League Anniversary.—This was held Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock and was presided over by Jabez Stallwood. W. H. Pullen led in prayer and General Secretary Randall spoke upon the theme, "The Perspective of the Age in relation to its Resources in its Young People."

Home Missions and Church Extension Anniversary.—At this service held Friday evening, Dr. Robert Forbes, Corresponding Secretary of the Society, gave an inspiring address. J. A. Chapman made the prayer and W. H. MacClenthen presided.

W. F. M. S. Anniversary.—Saturday afternoon at two o'clock. Miss Jennie Hughes of Kiu Kiang, China, made a thrilling appeal for foreign missions. A generous collection for her work was taken . The report of the Conference Treasurer showed that $10,654 had been raised the past year. Mrs. Moore, wife of the bishop, read the Scripture lesson and Mrs. Barker of New Haven, led in prayer.

Conference Anniversary.—The anniversary of the founding of the Black River Conference in the City of Watertown seventy-five years ago was celebrated Saturday afternoon. Samuel Call spoke upon, "The Evolution of the Northern New York Conference," and D. W. Aylesworth upon the "Saddle Bag Circuit Rider." This most interesting session was presided over by H. W. P. Allen, and William Williams led the devotions.

Board of Education Anniversary.—This was held Saturday evening with S. T. Dibble presiding. Dr. A. M. Brodie offered prayer. Dr. E. S. Tipple, of Drew Seminary, presented the interests of Education.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Love Feast.—S. T. Dibble opened this inspiring service at nine o'clock Sunday morning. Fervent prayers were offered by J. B. Hammond and W. H. Bury. About seventy-five testimonies were given. The collection for Conference Claimants amounted to $104.

Sermon by the Bishop.—At 10:30 the public worship was opened by an anthem by the choir. Hymn 23 was sung and D. W. Aylesworth offered prayer. The bishop preached an eloquent sermon from Isaiah 53:11. At the close of the sermon Mrs. Theresa A. Brown was consecrated deaconess.

Memorial Service.—This was held at 2:30 o'clock. The following-ing memoirs were read as indicated; M. G. Seymour by C. E .Miller, A. C. Danforth by C. L. Peck, Harlow Skeel by S. J. Greenfield, W. S. Titus by W. G. Atwell, F. K. Pierce by T. B. Shepherd, J. G. Brooks by J. G. Benson, Webster Ingersoll by Alex. Bramley and A. W. Locke by G. F. Shepherd. Upon invitation of the committee, Bishop Moore paid a worthy tribute to the memory of Bishop Goodsell.

Ordination Service.—This followed the memorial service immediately. Bishop Moore ordained the following as deacons: Arthur Darling, A. K. Jennings, J. W. Laird, W. J. Lawyer, R. A. Nunn, C. B. Wallace and H. T. Zeiders. The district superintendents assisted the bishop in ordaining as elders C. B. Austin, C. H. Carter, F. N. Churchill, W. C. Cramer, J. F. Day, F. C. Griffiths, L. A. Griggs, C. T. Holcombe, D. E. Robson, F. C. Schorge, R. W. Scouten and Theophilus Wells.

Anniversary of the Board of Foreign Missions.— Dr. G. M. Fowles, an assistant corresponding secretary of the Board, spoke upon the theme, "Thy Kingdom Come." Rev. Coats of Japan read the Scripture lesson and T. F. Alexander led in prayer. W. F. Purington presided.

Appointments 1910

The figure at the right of each name indicates the number of times the person has been appointed to that charge or district.

BLACK RIVER DISTRICT.

Superintendent, S. W. Brown 1, 510 Clay St., Watertown.

Adams .....S. S. Davis 2
Alexandria Bay ..A. J. Felshaw 3
Antwerp .....W. G. Atwell 3
Ava .....W. J. Lawyer 2
Barnes Corners ..A. R. Myers 1
Beaver Falls....W. H. Pullen 3
Belleville .....H. J. Carey 1
Black River ..W. I. Andrews 3
Boonville ....James Matthews 2
Brownville and Dexter .....
.....J. F. Rathbun 2
S. J. Sarver, Assistant.
Cape Vincent, ..Wm. Williams 2
Carthage, ...J. W. Barrett 3
Castorland .....W. H. Pullen 1
Champion .....Erasmus Pratt 2
(P. O., R. D. 3, Carthage).
Chaumont ..... Geo. Ernst 6
Clayton .....E. E. Cheeseman 3
Constableville ...H. E. Eades 3
Copenhagen ....B. F. Ceigler 1
Depauville .....F. H. Lewis 3
Evans Mills, Theophilus Wells 1
Felts Mills ....Davis Gardner 1
Forestport .....C. B. Wallace 2
Great Bend ....C. T. Holcombe 3
Grindstone ....L. H. Robinson 2
Harrisville ....E. L. Shepard 5
Henderson .....F. G. Curtis 1
Lafargeville ....W. P. Garrett 4
Lorraine .....C. N. Thomas 1
Lowville ....F. B. Severance 3
Martinsburg ..W. A. Gardner 1
Natural Bridge and Woods ..
....L. M. Smith 3
New Bremen and Watson....
.....O. M. Kelley 3
Ox Bow .....A. M. Ash 3
Philadelphia ....W. H. Bury 3
Pillar Point ....W. H. Stimson 1
Plessis and Redwood .....
.....N. A. Darling 4
Point Peninsula
Port Leyden ....J. M. Thomas 1
Rodman .....H. W. P. Allen 2
Sackets Harbor W. C. Cramer 1
St. Lawrence ....John Calkins 2
Theresa .....W. J. Hancock 3
T. I. Park .....E. J. Lavis 5
Three Mile Bay
Turin .....C. M. Smith 2
Watertown, Arsenal St .....
.....W. H. MacClenthen 1
Watertown, Asbury..... ....
.....D. C. Johnson 1
Watertown, Bethany .....
.....G. H. Nelson 8
Pastoral Charges 48

MOHAWK DISTRICT.

Superintendent, D. F. Pierce 3, 21 Brinkenhoff Ave., Utica.

Brookfield ....A. E. Darling 1
Cherry Valley ..H. L. Campbell 2
Clayville .....R. W. Putnam 1
Clinton .....J. B. Hammond 3
Cold Brook ..W. M. Brashear 1
Deansboro .....C. J. Oleson 2
Dolgeville ..W. G. Wilmshurst 5
Earlville .....W. A. Haven 2
East Hamilton ..H. B. Fritts 2
Floyd and Stittville .....
.....G. W. Leonard 1
Frankfort ....W. M. Caldwell 3
Hamilton .....Frank Beale 2
Herkimer .....J. A. Chapman 1
Ilion .....S. J. Greenfield 6
Jordanville ....J. C. Culligan 2
Knoxboro ....W. J. Ashforth 1
Lassellsville ....B. L. Nichols 4
Leonardsville ....L. B. Gray 2
Little Falls .....W. D. Marsh 7
Madison .....A. F. Pennock 2
Middleville .....A. G. Judd 1

Mohawk .....C. M. Gearhart 2
New Hartford ..H. D. Holmes 6
Newport and Norway.....
.....W. A. Sullivan 1
New York Mills, A. B. Corbin 4
Ohio .....George Merritt 3
Oriskany Falls, L. A. Griggs 4
Poland and Russia
.....C. M. Fulton 1
Prospect .....O .E. Raymond 1
Remsen .....Wm. Thomas 2
Richfield Springs, U. E. Brown 1
Salisbury Center.....
.....C. A. Robinson 1
St. Johnsville ....F. E. Arthur 2
Sauquoit .....J. R. Fretz 5
Starkville .....J. A. Sypher 1
Trenton .....B. G. Miller 1
Utica, Centenary .....
.....T. F. Alexander 2
Utica, Coke
Utica, Dryer ....C. H. Walton 3
Utica, First and Italian Mission ..A. H. Zimmerman 3
.....O. B. Neyroz 1
Utica, Grace, ...M. J. Crosby 3
Utica, South St., W. J. Hart 2
Waterville .....A. P. Palmer 3
West Frankfort and West-Schuyler ..Arthur Schloop 2
West Winfield, R. H. Ferguson 1
Whitesboro .....Henry Ernst 1

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Appointed to Y. M. C. A. Work: A. K. Jennings, member of South St., Quarterly Conference, Utica; B. S. Swartz, member of Cold Brook Quarterly Conference.

H. T. Zeiders, student, member of Clayville Quarterly Conference.

W. D. Chase, General Secretary of NewYork State Sabbath Association, member Centenary Quarterly Conference, Utica.

ONTARIO DISTRICT.

Superintendent, C. E. Miller, 1

Altmar .....S. L. Kennedy 3
Amboy Center, J. J. Johnston 2
Camden .....H. W. Markham 1
Central Square ..Evan Evans 1
Cleveland .....H. P. Fox 1
Constantia .....F. C. Schorge 3
Ellisburg .....D. R. Smith 2
Fernwood .....P. O. Wilcox 3
Florence .....C. H. Fenton 1
Fulton, First Church .....
.....C. L. Peck 1
Fulton, State Street .....
.....F. A. Miller 4
Hannibal .....Henry Hughes 3
Lansing .....L. L. Davy 5
Lee Center ....George Dermott 3
Lowell .....W. J. Shaw 2
Mannsville .....C. V. Haven 2
McConnellsville ....
....R. K. Sheffield 1
Mexico .....G. F. Shepherd 5
Minetto .....C. F. Miller 2
Mount Pleasant ....R. E. Jones 1
(P. O., R. D. 1, Fulton.)
New Haven ..F. N. Churchill 2
New London and State Bridge
.....R. W. Conklin 2
North Bay .....J. W. Wilson 3
North Mexico, T. J. Williams 1
Northwestern ..A. O. Webster 2
Orwell .....Alonzo Hand 2
Oswego Center ..C. H. Carter 1
(P. O., R. D., 6, Oswego).
Oswego, First.....E. H. Joy 6
Oswego, Trinity, F. L. Knapp 1
Parish .....A. E. Moody 3
Pennellville, W. T. Clemens 2
Pulaski ...Frederick Maunder 5
Redfield .....F. J. Fulton 2
Rome, First, ..E. B. Topping 7
Rome, Liberty St. ..E. H. Scott 1
Sandy Creek ....W. M. Hydon 5
Scriba .....L. L. Davy 5
South Hannibal
Steuben and Westernville.....
.....Alfred Harries 2
Benjamin Thomas, Asst.
Taberg .....Joseph Lobb 1

Vermillion .....S. B. Owens 1
Vernon .....J. W. Laird 4
Vernon Center, M. E. Duesler 1
Verona .....Adelbert Warren 1
Westdale .....F. W. Dunning 3
Westmoreland ...C. A. Miller 2
West Sandy Creek .....
.....D. C. Haven 2
(P. O., R. D. 1, Sandy Creek.)
Williamstown ..F. W. Dunning 3
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F. M. Harvey, Student, member of Fernwood Quarterly Conference.

ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT.

Superintendent, C. C. Townsend, 5, 5 Pleasant St., Potsdam.

Bangor .....W. H. Moore 3
Belmont .....H. E. Davis 1
(P. O., Brainardsville).
Bombay .....F. R. Griffiths 3
Brasher .....T. A. Story 4
(P. O., Brasher Falls).
Bucksbridge .....John Tagg 2
Burke .....S. G. Carley 4
Canton .....A. C. Loucks 1
Chasm Falls ....R. P. Green 1
Chateaugay ....W. D. Aubrey 1
Colton .....A. G. Austin 2
DeKalb Junction .....
.....G. A. Wilkinson 3
Depeyster .....D. E. Robson 4
Edwards and South Edwards..
.....G. A. Comerford 2
Fine
Fort Covington, J. G. Benson 4
Galilee .....F. E. Haven 3
(P. O., R. D. Ogdensburg).
Gouverneur .....J. S. Wilds 4
Hailesboro and Natural Dam..
.....M. A. Bartlett 3
(P. O. Gouverneur).
Hammond .....J. D. Poppe 3
Hermon .....S. H. Stokes 2
Heuvelton .....B. R. Gabriel 5
Lawrence .....I. C. Smith 2
(P. O., No. Lawrence).
Louisville .....A. E. Budd 3
Lisbon .....Alexander Scott 3
(P. O., R. D. Ogdensburg)
Macomb .....F. J. Brown 2
(P. O. Brasie Corners).
Madrid .....H. W. Jago 3
Malone .....M. D. Sill 5
Massena .....W. H. English 2
Moira and Brushton .....
.....M. H. Dowd 2
Morristown ....R. W. Scouten 3
Nicholville and Fort Jackson
.....W. H. Summers 1
Norfolk .....C. E. Woodley 7
Norwood .....G. H. Williams 7
Ogdensburg .....S. T. Dibble 7
Parishville ....W. T. Fairchild 1
Pierrepont and Hannawa ....
.....F. E. Loan 2
Potsdam .....Jabez Stallwood 5
Racquette and Center .....
.....W. J. Nesbitt 1
(P. O. Racket River).
Rensselaer Falls .....
.....C. J. Middleton 3
Richville and N. Gouverneur..
.....W. E. Kelley 3
Russell .....A. A. Lawrence 2
St. Regis Falls and Dickinson
.....R. F. Bayliss 2
St. Regis Indian Mission.....
.....J. J. Oke 2
(P. O. Hogansburg).
Spragueville and Somerville...
.....W. K. Bradshaw 2
Stockholm .....R. A. Nunn 2
(P. O., West Stockholm).
Tupper Lake .....J. F. Day 3
Waddington ..H. C. Campbell 2
Westville and Constable .....
.....A. J. Green 1
(P. O. Constable).
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Disciplinary Questions

1. *Is this Annual Conference Incorporated According to the Requirements of the Discipline?"*
   Yes.
2. *Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?*
   Joseph A. Chapman, from Kentucky Conference; Frederick G. Curtis, from South Kansas Conference; W. D. Waller, from Central Provinces Mission Conference; Ottavio B. Neyroz (probationer), California Conference.
3. *Who have been Readmitted?*
   None.
4. *Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?*
   George A. Comerford, from the Methodist Church of Canada; Clark A. Robinson, from the Methodist Protestant Church; Isaac C. Smith, from the Methodist Church of Canada.
5. *Who have been Received on Trial?*
   (*a*) *In Studies of First Year?*
   William K. Bradshaw, Hamilton P. Fox, Albert G. Judd, Chris J. Oleson, Ray W. Putnam, J. Alvin Sypher.
   (*b*) *In Studies of Third Year?*
   None.
6. *Who have been Continued on Trial?*
   (*a*) *In Studies of First Year?*
   Arthur E. Moody, Ottavio B. Neyroz, Benjamin Thomas.
   (*b*) *in Studies of Second Year?*
   Albert E. Budd, Harry C. Campbell, Frank W. Dunning, Herbert E. Eades, Francis E. Loan, Spencer B. Owens, Charles N. Thomas.
   (*c*) *in the Studies of Third Year?*
   Arthur E. Darling.
   (*d*) *In Studies of Fourth Year?*
   None.
7. *Who have been Discontinued?*
   None.
8. *Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?*
   (*a*) *Elected and Ordained Deacons this year?*
   Asa K. Jennings, John W. Laird, Wellington J. Lawyer, Robert A. Nunn, Charles B. Wallace, Harry T. Zeiders.
   (*b*) *Elected and Ordained Deacons previously?*
   Frederick R. Griffiths, Alfred Harries, C. Frederick Miller, Oliver E. Raymond, Frederick C. Schorge, Roy W. Scouten, Theophilus Wells, William J. Nesbitt.
9. *What Members are in Studies of Third Year?*
   (*a*) *Admitted into Full Membership this year?*
   George A. Comerford, Alfred Harries, Asa K. Jennings, John W.

Laird, Wellington J. Lawyer, C. Frederick Miller, William J. Nesbitt, Robert J. Nunn, Oliver E. Raymond, Clark A. Robinson, Frederick C. Schorge, Isaac C. Smith, Charles B. Wallace, Harry T. Zeiders.

(*b*) *Admitted into Full Membership previously?*
None.

10. *What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?*
Marcus A. Bartlett, William A. Gardner, Benton S. Swartz.

11. *What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?*

(*a*) *Elected and Ordained Elders this year?*
Charles H. Carter, Frank N. Churchill, J. Frank Day, Frederick R. Griffiths, Leroy A. Griggs, Charles T. Holcombe, David E. Robson, Roy W. Scouten, Theophilus Wells.

(*b*) *Elected and Ordained Elders previously?*
None.

12. *What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?*

(*a*) *As Local Preachers?*
None.

(*b*) *Under Missionary Rule?*
None.

(*c*) *Under Seminary Rule?*
Arthur E. Darling, Chris J. Oleson.

13. *What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?*

(*a*) *As Local Deacons?*
Chester B. Austin, William C. Cecil Cramer, Frederick C. Schorge.

(*b*) *Under Missionary Rule?*
None.

(*c*) *Under Seminary Rule?*
None.

14. *Was the character of each Preacher examined?*
This was strictly done as each name was called.

15. *Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?*
Valentine Ambrosine, California Conference; W. H. Baker, Puget Sound Conference; John G. Cornwell, Erie Conference; E. M. Crandall, Southern California Conference; F. G. Curtis South Kansas Conference; C. S. Dopp, (probationer), Central New York Conference; C. E. Hastings, West Texas Conference; W. D. Waller, Colorado Conference.

16. *Who have Died?*
J. G. Brooks, A. C. Danforth, Webster Ingersoll, A. W. Locke, F. K. Pierce, M. G. Seymour, Harlow Skeel, W. S. Titus.

17. *Who have been Located at their own Request?*
None.

18. *Who have been Located?*
None.

19 *Who have Withdrawn?*
G. H. Orvis.

20. *Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?*
S. D. Robinson.

21. *Who have been Expelled?*
None.

22. *What other personal Notations should be made?*
None.

23. *Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?*
1907, A. E. Page, W. F. Purington; 1908, O. J. Houghton; 1909, Judson Davis, W. E. Reynolds; 1910, H. M. Hughs, B. G. Sanford, R. J. Smith, E. E. Day.

24. *Who are the Superannuated Preachers?*
1879, W. C. Goodwin; 1881, A. M. Roe; 1891, E. C. Bruce; 1895, W. H. Hall; 1896, G. W. Bent; 1899, C. W. Brooks, S. E. Brown, T. H. MacClenthen, I. B. VanValkenburg; 1900, E. S. Cheeseman, B. F. Wood; 1901, H. W. Bennett, Sanger Dewey, Robert Flint, J. E. Hall, M. D. Kinney; 1902, S. M. Fisk, J. L. Short; 1903, G. B. Fairhead, Leroy Grant, A. L. Smith; 1904, Samuel Short, G. W. Wood; 1905, W. F. Ball, W. F .Markham, B. L. Phelps, A. D. Webster; 1906, Alexander Bramley, L. L. Davy, J. W. Higby, W. M. Holbrook, Henry Hesselgrave, H. E. Waugh; 1907, S. O. Barnes, Samuel Call, I. J. Nourse, T. B. Shepherd, W. L. Tisdale, R. F. Whipple; 1909, D. W. Aylesworth, B. DeF. Snyder, W. H. Kanoff; 1910, F. B. Stanford, W. R. Helms, Truman Weed.

25. *Who are the Triers of Appeals?*
J. B. Hammond, Wm. Williams, H. W. Markham, E. B. Topping, C. M. Smith.

26. *What is the Statistical Report for this year?*
See Statistical Report.

27. *What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?*
$75,508.

28. *What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?*
$5,500.

29. *What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?*
$5,161.37. (See Stewards' Report).

30. *What is the Amount of the Five Per Cent. of Collections for the Conference Claimants' Connectional Fund paid by the Treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants?*
$259.

31. *Where are the Preachers Stationed?*
See Appointments.

32. *Where shall the next Conference be held?*
Ogdensburg.

Laymen's Association

MINUTES OF THE SECOND ANNUAL MEETING OF THE LAYMEN'S ASSOCIATION OF THE NORTHERN NEW YORK CONFERENCE, AT WATERTOWN, N. Y., APRIL 15, 1910.

Opening.—The session was opened at 10:30 in the Asbury Church, President George Fenton in the chair.

Devotional services were conducted by Rev. John Richards, of Syracuse.

Rules.—J. V. Baker, chairman of Committee on Rules, moved the adoption of Fish Parliamentary Rules. The motion was amended recommitting the report to the same committee to report on special rules to govern the association. Motion as amended was carried.

Constitutions.—On motion of Dr. E. A. Gayde of Utica, the officers were instructed to have more constitutions printed.

Pastoral Support.—E. R. Redhead of Fulton, N. Y., chairman of the Committee to report recommendations on Better Pastoral Support delivered a very able address showing that the pastors of the Northern New York Conference were receiving on an average from $100 to $200 per year less than the pastors of the adjoining conferences. He urged upon the laymen the necessity of an advance in salaries in the weaker charges as well as the stronger charges. He suggested the federation of churches in the smaller communities or cities where there are more charges than can be well maintained, systematic giving, greater spiritual power both in the ministry and laity.

The question was discussed by Brothers Crabb, Paddock, Sweetland and Richards.

Committee.—The following committee on nominations was appointed: Herkimer District, D. S. Davis, Oriskany Falls; Oswego District, J. J. Hollis, Sandy Creek; Utica District, S. C. Green, Utica; St. Lawrence District, A. H. Marshall, Ogdensburg; Watertown District, G. E. Satchwell, Watertown.

Adjournment.—Association adjourned for noon recess.

Afternoon.—The afternoon session opened at 2 o'clock, President George Fenton in the chair. Rev. W. D. Marsh of Little Falls, led in prayer.

Denominational Papers.—Rev. Dr. King of the Northern New York Advocate, addressed the Association on Devotional Papers.

Address on the Laymen's Movement by Secretary S. B. Groner of the Syracuse Y. M. C. A.

Address, The Italian at our Door—Rev. Ottavio B. Neyroz of Utica, followed by a discussion by George W. Sanborn of Utica.

Address on Home Missions and Church Extension by Dr. Forbes.

Organization.—The committee on nominations reported the following officers for the next year.: President, J. V. Baker of Gouverneur; Vice-Presidents, M. A. Richards, Little Falls, Herkimer District; E. R. Redhead, Fulton, Oswego District; George Fenton, Utica, Utica District; F. D. Wallace, Ogdensburg, St. Lawrence District; D. S. Brown, Watertown, Watertown District; Secretary, George R. Russell, Ilion; Treasurer, Roscoe C. Sargent, Sandy Creek.

On motion of J. V. Baker, John Tagg of Bucksbridge was substituted for J. V. Baker as chairman of Committee on Rules, making the committee as follows: John Tagg, Bucksbridge; G. E. Satchwell, Watertown; R. H. Snyder, Adams.

Committee on State of the Church.—The following committee was named: Herkimer District, J. H. Steele, Herkimer; Oswego District, F. E. Sweetland, Oswego; Utica District, Dr. Gayde, Utica; St. Lawrence District, W. T. Leonard, Norwood; Watertown District, George E. Satchwell, Watertown.

Adjournment.—The Association stood adjourned.

Banquet.—At 6:30 the Association, with their friends, met at the Asbury Church where a banquet was served by the ladies of the King's Daughters.

The speakers of the evening were Mayor Hugo of Watertown, Chancellor James R. Day of Syracuse University,and Bishop David H. Moore.

George Fenton, President,

George R. Russell, Secretary.

District Superintendents' Reports

HERKIMER DISTRICT.

W. H. MacClenthen, *Superintendent.*

Dear Fathers and Brethren:—

Herkimer District, crowned by the majesty of the great Adirondack woods,—made prosperous by her many fertile acres and world reaching manufactories, —held forever in fame because of her historic Mohawk Valley, through which, in the early days of our colonial life, poured the vast traffic of nation building and heroic conquest, and which to-day knows the tremendous tide of a great nation's commerce,—made lovely by the magnificent scenery of her Unadilla and Chenango Valleys,—is beautiful for situation, and the joy of all who are so fortunate as to dwell within her boundaries. That is to say it is as goodly a district as the sun of the episcopacy shines upon.

Viewed from a religious standpoint the district is well developed. Every hamlet has its opportunity for worship and pastoral care, while every village and city possesses church facilities wholly adequate to care for the populace, and with sufficient wealth, if properly consecrated, to bring every modern appliance and method into active operation for the glory of Heaven's King.

The district doubtless owes its commanding position, its far reaching spiritual influence, its generous care for the world wide enterprises of the Church, and its financial successes, to the fact that it is nobly manned. Man for man the Northern New York Conference may confidently await comparison with any Conference in Methodism,—and this being true it is surely pardonable if we sing a little loudly the praises of the men who have wrought steadily and intelligently at the sublime tasks assigned them on old Herkimer District. Language of mine is too faintly framed to clearly express the wisdom of plan, the heroism of action, the tenderness of pastoral administration, and the true consecration to noble purpose which has been evidenced by the brothers who have served here. They have everywhere been recognized as desirable men in community life as well as church life. So strong have they proven in leadership for civic righteousness that they are considered as a factor to be reckoned with. Their clean, honorable attitudes in their daily contact with business life has contributed not a little to the general lifting of moral standards. Methodism is coming to her own in our section of the country because of the strong intelligent type of men who stand in her pulpits. They are an honor to their calling.

Necrology.

During the year our parsonage homes have been free from the sorrows of death, but we have parted with sadness with two of our superannuated though very effective brothers—F. Kingsley Pierce and Harlow Skeel. They lived nobly, wrought well, and died in the Lord. And

while we are sad, yet are we glad, for they richly deserve the crowning day toward which they went with joyous tread.

Servants of God were they,
Who through their journey long,
Knew how to lay the burden down,
And to live the life of song.

Pastoral Changes.

Very soon after Conference last spring Bishop McDowell made a few changes in the appointments, sending Brother W. H. English to Massena, Brother Frank Beale to Hamilton, and transferring Brother W. D. Waller from the India Conference to West Winfield. Again in the fall the appointment of Brother S. W. Brown to the Superintendency of Watertown District carried Brother E. H. Scott to Liberty Street, Rome, and Brother O. E. Raymond to Prospect; Salisbury Center being supplied until the present time. We believe these changes were made in wisdom and were for the highest interests of all concerned. We regret that for health reasons Brother W. D. Waller found it necessary to transfer to the Colorado Conference last month.

Property Interests.

Sixty churches and thirty-eight parsonages valued on a conservative basis at about $450,000.00, with about $35,000.00 of invested funds constitute the material property of Herkimer District. With one or two exceptions the property is in fine condition and properly insured. Our indebtedness has been reduced to about $11,000.00, nearly one half of which is provided for, and we have expended about $8,000.00 in improvements.

The right of the line in improvement work this year is held by Brother Clyde M. Gearhart and the ever progressive Mohawk church. They have expended about $3,300.00 in the purchase of a beautiful pipe organ and a place to put it in. This church considers herself unusually fortunate in having been served by such a succession of men as Daniel M. Lewis, Charles M. Smith, Myron E. Genter and Clyde M. Gearhart. Brother Lewis laid broad the foundations for permanent success during his pastorate, and his successors have continued the work with constancy and skill until now Mohawk is recognized as one of the strong churches of the Mohawk Valley. They are urging the return of Brother Gearhart at $1,000.00 salary, an advance of $100.

Dolgeville, another progressive church efficiently led by Brother W. G. Wilmshurst, found convenient time and $1,200.00 in money to improve their beautiful church. The outlook for this charge is second to none in our Conference.

The appointment of Brother H. L. Campbell to Cherry Valley last year appears to have proven a great blessing, for with the revival of church vigor there came the thought of improving the house of God, and something like $1,000.00 was profitably expended.

East Hamilton, Frankfort, Norway, Prospect, Richfield Springs, Hamilton, Lassellsville, Oppenheim, and Vernon, spent sums ranging from $50 to $300 in improvements.

An especial honorable mention is deserved by Clayville and Leonardsville in this connection. These are small societies but composed of splendid material and, under the respective leadership of H. T. Zeiders and the veteran L. B. Bray, have done themselves great credit, each having raised and expended over $500 during the year for improvements. Five hundred dollars for these churches is relatively a greater amount than has been expended for this class of work by any church on the district during my term.

Comparisons.

Comparisons are generally regarded with suspicion and are usually best left out of the reckoning, but perhaps may not be altogether unworthy if used to indicate a worthy advance and to stimulate a worthy cause. With this reflection I venture to mention one or two.

Comparing the statistics of the territory now comprised in Herkimer District, as given by the Minutes of 1904, with those given in 1909, you will find that our people gave for the general benevolences $2,247.00 more in the last named year than in the first. This advance is more notable when consideration is given to the splendid advances made under the administrations of Brothers C. E. Miller and J. B. Hammond. We are convinced by the reports received that the district has made another handsome advance this year.

A most gratifying increase has also been made in pastoral support. During the past six years 29 out of the 37 charges of the district have increased their estimates for pastors' salaries. The total increase received this year over the report of 1904 being $4,160.00, which is a total advance of 15%.

The average salary on Herkimer District is now over $800.00, which sounds quite decent but which means but little, for averages do not noticeably help the men who serve for $500.00 and $600.00 per year. In view of the fact that the cost of living has increased nearly fifty per cent. in ten years there should be no salary below $800.00 exclusive of house rent. Our churches must not expect longer to command the talent they require unless adequate salaries are paid. Well trained and equipped men are at a premium in this world ,and it but illy becomes any Christian church to ask the rigid sacrifices that are too often demanded of many of our men. Religion is cheapened, and reproach brought on the cause of Christ; when the treasuries of the Church in this land of plenty cannot comfortably support the men who minister at her altars. The farmer, mechanic, or professional man who pays but five or ten dollars a year to the running expenses of his church home, has small regard for his membership covenant, and can certainly boast of the inexpensiveness of his religion. Paragraph 70 of the Discipline should be consistently presented, and strengthened by the unequivocal statement that a tithe must be regarded as the bare minimum, and not the standard of Christian generosity. In my report of last year I said that "an inadequate salary is as dangerously limiting in the best grade of appointments as in the poorest." And because that statement embodies an inexorable principle of law, I sound this note of warning to our large and prosperous churches. They should awaken to a sense of their responsi-

bility, for to use less than their easy normal strength invites religious atrophy.

Evangelism.

Evangelism, ever the Shibboleth of faithful Methodism, continues the central thought of all our plans. New and difficult conditions have compelled an adjustment of our forces which has been intelligently made, and there is no ring of pessimism among us. On the whole there is a broadening conception of evangelism, and a truer note is being sounded. Common-sense is asserting its rightful sway over the usurpations of tradition, and instead of remaining under the domination of a method we are dominating all methods in our efforts for the salvation of men. We are coming to realize that humanity is many sided, varying in environment, development, and intelligence, and that the main proposition is *not* the exaltation of a traditional avenue to God, but to reach *all* men, using any righteous method that holds an appeal that will bring them into right relations with Him. I cannot say how many have professed conversion this year ,but surely we have not fallen behind any achievment of the past.

Folts Mission Institute.

We desire to call your particular attention to our Folts Mission Institute, and to lay its work and needs on your hearts. Since its foundation it has sent graduate missionaries into nearly every field in the world, and in some good measure the success of our world wide work owes a debt of gratitude to this splendid institution. Its faculty has always been well selected and highly capable, but we believe the present faculty, headed by Doctor Richard Evans, the best equipped for our special labors that has yet appeared. We train for all fields of Christian work, both home and foreign, and do it so well that all graduates are speedily employed. We appeal to the churches in general for financial aid, for our Institute sadly needs endowment, and must have it. We appeal to both the W. F. M. S. and the W. H. M. S. for, not only financial aid, but for students. Send your capable young women to Folts Institute. Lay hands on them for the ripened fields available only for woman's heart and hands. We appeal to the brethren in the ministry for prayers and kindly words and actions. This Institute is within our borders,—founded by a heroic woman who wrought well for her King. Let us make it more useful and of greater fame. Let us honor the King and our own Conference by giving Folts a student body of not less than one hundred consecrated young women.

In this educational connection I desire to make honorable mention of the generous action of one of our elect ladies from Earlville, whose modesty forbids the use of her name, who has given $1,000 to the Dr. J. L. Humphrey School for boys, at Naina Tal, India.

I am also delighted to say that the Herkimer District Epworth League Scholarship in Syracuse University which was begun some years ago under the leadership of Rev. C. E. Miller, and G. R. Russell of Ilion, has been completed, and I have the draft for $1,000 to hand to our Chancellor. This simply adds one to the fifteen or twenty scholarships already credited to Herkimer District.

FAREWELL.

Finally, I must say a word of farewell. My highest hopes and richest interests have been so closely knit to Herkimer District that farewell seems a difficult word to utter; it does not slip easily from my heart, nor fall readily from my lips. The best eight years of my life have been given to the care of the churches, two on the blessed old Adams District, and six on the equally blessed Herkimer District. Daily for years have I asked God to give me sufficient wisdom to manage the trust committed to my hands with an eye single to His glory. Daily for years have I named every minister before God's throne, asking for them success and peace. Daily has the conception of the opportunities and responsibilities of this position grown upon me. Daily have I been made aware of pressure of heavy burdens, and sometimes I have wept, and sometimes my heart has been crushed. I could devoutly wish that my work could have been much more efficient, and my mistakes many less,—but God, in His infinite mercy and loving kindness, has turned every experience, whether of joy or sorrow, into blessing, and causes me to proclaim "hitherto the Lord hath helped me." And now, after these years, comes this farewell word, and though your eyes are holden I confront a multitude as I say the word. I am saying farewell to over 6,000 Herkimer District church members, and to as many more friends and adherents of the church,—to 6,300 Sunday School scholars,—to more than a thousand Epworth Leaguers, and nearly a thousand Juniors, and to sixty churches. They form a magnificent company, and hold magnificent possibilities. To them, with hearty faith in their loyalty to all future commands of the great Head of the Church, I bid a cheery "God speed." Then there are about 750 official members with whom I have so often sat in council, whose loyalty to the church I know, and whose friendship has been given to me without stint. It is with deep emotion that I say farewell to them. They are worthy leaders in the house of God, and I pray for them many days of faithful service to the King, rich success in their business enterprises, and full prosperity in riches eternal. And last, but best, the ministers. Not the 37 only of the past year, but I think of about 90 who have served with me since my first appointment by the lamented Bishop Andrews in 1902. Not all are here. Some have superannuated,—some have transferred to other and distant fields,—some have gone home to God,—but they were brothers all. It enriches me to remember that I have prayed for them all by name. Through trials, hardships and victories, we have found each others hearts, and in consequence must always be nearer and dearer to each other. May God give them, every one, an open way into His glorious Kingdom.

Thanking you all for kindly forbearance, and for your many brotherly words, I submit my eighth and final report.

WILLIAM H. MACCLENTHEN.

OSWEGO DISTRICT.

ALBERT C. LOUCKS, *Superintendent.*

Heretofore in reporting we have not dwelt upon district boundaries and magnitudes. Perhaps too little has been said regarding compara-

tive dimensions and activities. Recently we were informed of an impression abroad that ours is the small, struggling, less important district of the Conference. If this thought produces true Christian sympathy, and prompts all to offer special prayer for this portion of the field, we might be content to have the thought prevail; but if it is in any sense a reflection upon our churches, our splendid lay constituency, or upon the ministers who are conducting the King's business with marked ability and fidelity, it is time to sweep away this erroneous conception. A few facts will suffice to show how baseless the report has been: According to the Minutes of 1909, the following is true.

As to total church membership, annual increase in membership, total number of probationers reported, total number in the Sunday Schools, average attendance of the Sunday Schools, total value of church property, amount spent upon building and improving property, the total amount contributed for all purposes, the Oswego District is in every instance above the average for the five Districts of the Conference. In several of these particulars she takes the lead.

As a religious field to cultivate, it is not inferior to that of any other in the Conference. To my proficient and successful predecessors, T. B. Shepherd and S. T. Dibble, may be attributed much that is excellent and abiding. Their names have been stamped in gold upon the work, and their influence will long endure.

As to physical dimensions, our district is already large enough—that is if the opinion of all the pastors, so far as I have been able to learn, and probably ninety-nine per cent. of the laymen of the district is able to determine things. In regard to our moral and spiritual geography, we are agreed that our boundaries ought to be largely extended, and made as far-reaching and inclusive, as deep and high as are the promises of God.

The last year has seen about the average success. Our pastors, a royal lot of men, have rendered faithful service. The laymen, intelligent, devoted and generous—many of them at least—have co-operated in various ways.

The Young People's Societies have had their inning, and have done well. We would not discount their efforts in the least, nor discourage them; BUT TODAY WE HAIL the laymen as our crusaders. We are glad to have them set the pace in the forward march. The banners and trumpets are put into their hands. If they can lead the church in a world-wide campaign such as has not been seen before, we shall rejoice, and the ministers, whether regarded sub-officers or privates, ought to co-operate with them as far as possible.

The two charges not supplied last year at conference time, were, after a long waiting and effort, provided for. For a time Rev. F. L. Knapp, of Camden, supplied at Florence and East Florence, Sunday afternoons. In the fall, Rev. M. S. Scriber, an experienced man from the Methodist Protestant Church, took this work. After college opened Thos. J. Williams, a student, was appointed to South Hannibal.

By way of improvements, our churches have done much more than we thought they would consider necessary. The parsonage at Central Square has been made almost as good as new. At Minetto they installed a steam-heating plant in the parsonage, purchased a new bell, and put

electric lights in the church. There are new carpets at Oswego Center, new decorations at Hannibal Center, new cushions at Belleville, painting at Altmar and Pennellville, new sheds at McConnellsville and Mexico, new stained-glass windows and new decorations at Henderson, while the old church at Pineville has been transformed, new roof and coat of paint on the Scriba church, new decorations in the chapel at Fulton, State St.; new roof, painting, etc., at Lorraine; new decorations at Ellisburg, both outside and inside. The re-opening there will be one of the important events just at the beginning of the new Conference year.

The indebtedness of the district amounts to about four and a half per cent. of all our church property, not a very crushing load.

On nine charges, Adams, Constantia, Hannibal, Mannsville, Minetto, Oswego Center, Pulaski, Redfield and Sandy Creek, the pastor's salary was increased this year. Total increase $784. On some of the rural charges it is difficult, almost impossible, to advance. If the survivors pledge more, and in many instances they do, the removals by death and transfer keep them struggling to hold the salary at the low mark of the year before. Surely our sustentation fund ought to contain something for such work. People are putting money into it with that thought in mind. To take it all for another cause, no matter how important the work, is not dealing fairly with our contributors.

Fulton First Church now employs a Deaconess. In this way they secure more pastoral work, and are raising more for a kind of ministerial support.

We have preached as best we could upon Tithing. Some of the pastors are also putting emphasis upon this feature of Bible doctrine; and the ladies, in their organizations, are doing much to make converts to this principle. Whether we have accomplished anything or not will be shown by the following:

In 1904-05 the Oswego District raised for all purposes—pastoral support, current expenses in church and Sunday school, for improvements, debts, benevolences; i. e., for every object mentioned in our reports, $69,193, an average of $10.87 per member. The next year the average was $11.08 per member for all purposes. In 1907 it crept up to $11.20 per member. In 1908 it advanced to $11.74 per member. In 1909 the total raised was $79,133, almost $10,000 more than in 1904 and 1905, or an average of $12.51 against $10.87 at the earlier period. This year, counting special gifts, bequests and everything as heretofore, the total will be $85,000, possibly $90,000, or more than $10,000 in advance of last year.

We are pleased to say that Oswego District is not giving less, either in the aggregate or per member, than the other districts in the Conference. We could make a statement much stronger than this, but comparisons are sometimes odious.

The total value of our churches is	$389,600 00
The total value of our parsonages	$ 64,200 00
Total property	$453,800 00

The value of our real estate is but $10,000 or $12,000 more than the district has contributed for every purpose since 1904.

Our district gatherings have been excellent. The Epworth League convention at Pulaski in October, was well attended, was enjoyable and inspirational. The two district Conferences, one at Fulton, First Church in June, and the other in Pennellville, in March, were spiritual and helpful. Our camp meeting, though not attended by such crowds as in the earlier days, was favored with most excellent preaching and a gracious outpouring of the Holy Spirit. Many pronounced it one of the most helpful for many years. The improved illumination of the ground gave satisfaction, while the paying of the debt and the zealous work of The Ladies' Improvement Society is tending towards larger and better things.

The centennial of Methodism in Fulton was celebrated in the First Church in December, and was a success. With their local workers engaged, and with Bishop Hamilton, Dr. Krantz, and President Skinner from abroad to help, the city realized that there was something both ringing and regnant about our history. The paper prepared for the occasion by Mr. E. R. Redhead, of Fulton, was widely read, and shows that for a hundred years our revival work at Fulton, our Sunday school activities and church building enterprises, have been a very important part of New York State Methodism.

An Anniversary Day at Pennellville, Nov. 18th did that little church a world of good. Coming as it did, just after a good revival, it was easy to enthuse over the subjects presented, and especially at the burning of the mortgage, that for years had been upon their property.

The Methodist Brotherhoods, such as have been organized for several years, are devoting themselves mostly to the upbuilding of a men's class in Sunday school. In this field they have achieved success; but as a pastor's aid, and as a perpetual evangelistic agency, they may be, and ought to be, a greater power. The new one organized at Pennellville after the revival, seems much alive; and, though so young, is doing splendid work.

The Knights of St. Paul at Mexico, the new Boy's Organization at Adams, the booming Boy's Army at Camden, and the Junior Baraca Class at Oswego First Church, are prospering. Their activities and successes are furnishing suggestions for pastors who have not yet inaugurated a movement for the boys. Surely if the boys of the present are to be shielded from temptation, and if the men of the future are to be clean, intelligent as Christians, and useful in our membership, we must give more attention to this feature of the Junior Work.

We have some first-class Junior Epworth Leagues. At times we have been surprised as well as delighted by the reports they make. If the pastors without such an organization once realized the importance of this business, and saw the possibilities wrapped up in this part of our constituency, they would regard their church destitute and crippled without this agency.

The Woman's Missionary Societies have had their work partially eclipsed of late by the energy and splendor of the Laymen's Missionary Campaign. The good sisters, however, are not envious of the brethren. If provoked at all, it is to larger endeavors and greater sacrifice. Of course they will remember Bishop Quayle's caution not to

encroach upon other organizations of the church and will not plan to use the boys for collecting funds for their good work, but so earnest are they, so careful in their plans, so economical in the administration of their funds, that if they did thoughtlessly trespass a little in their gleaning, many of us would not begrudge the extra dollar that they received.

No great revivals have occurred this year; but here and there we have had refreshing, productive evangelistic work. In a few cases evangelists have been employed. The Fulton churches had another union effort under Dr. Phillips of Binghamton. Oswego, First Church enjoyed the services of Rev. C. H. Ferguson. D. Grant Christman labored at Pennellville, Hannibal, and for a few days at New Haven. At some of the Group meetings they saw people saved. A number of the pastors have assisted one another in evangelistic work. In this manner excellent meetings were held at Mexico, Adams, Camden, Sandy Creek, Wellwood, Constantia, Pulaski, and upon the Amboy Center charge. At Richland the pastor reported forty conversions in the fall. Brother Hand did his best to land them in the church. He does not yet despair of getting some of them; but if they should all turn out to be Baptists, he will, of course, praise God that they are saved. To me one of the best revivals, and one of the most protracted works of grace, has been in my own heart. The blessed in-filling of the Spirit gave comfort in the time of need, courage for the work, and peace, thank God, when otherwise there would have been a terrible disquietude.

Throughout the year I have been well. Work has been a daily relief. Never before did Christian endeavor bring me greater satisfaction and joy. Though the winter has been regarded unusually severe, and the snow banks high, by train, driving, and on horse-back, I have been able in every case, week-day and Sunday, to make my appointments, and that too without abusing horse or man.

The pastors and people of the district, as heretofore, have been exceedingly kind to me. Earnestly have I often wished that I was more deserving of their repeated expressions of love and confidence. It seems a very meager return for their wealth of affection to say that I thank them heartily, and that I regard these friendships as more valuable than gold.

We ought not to close without a few words regarding the Domestic interests. Perry O. Wilcox, of Fernwood, took a life associate June 21st. Their parsonage, not occupied by a pastor for years, was much improved for the occasion, and is now a very cheerful, happy home. While the cost of living is high, and the pastor's salary at Belleville and Pennellville was not increased a cent this year, the pastor at each point took in a little girl. Judging from the interest shown in the event and the joy experienced thus far from these fresh olive branches in the home, they do not expect to be impoverished by this domestic increment. Nile Cecile Clemens has graces commensurate with this new and exacting age. Ruth Eleanor Sheffield seems well qualified to grace and beautify a preacher's home.

Besides cases of temporary illness, we have had a few instances of sickness that proved serious. Gladys Summers, just out of the Normal School and ready for teaching, was badly crippled by a kind of paraly-

sis for a time, and was kept from teaching all the year. The improvement, though slow, promises to be permanent. The life of bright, sunny little Eric Haven, of Mannsville, trembled in the balance for several weeks. Fortunately he came out of it all right. A. W. Locke, the excellent and successful pastor at Oswego Center, was prostrated in December with something like peritonitis. After two weeks of suffering, he was taken to the heavenly home. Words are too feeble to describe the loss to his home, to the charge, and to our Conference, though he was received into our ranks but three years ago. He was a bright, sensible, spiritual, amiable Christian man. It did not take long to learn to love him and prize his worth.

Last August a great sorrow came to me. The one whose companionship had been a comfort and inspiration, whose labors for Christ had been abundant, whose fidelity was constant and beautiful, and whose prayers had brought a daily uplift to my soul, responded to the celestial summons. Much might be said about her nobility of life and character. One thing—her pleasure in self-denial for Jesus' sake—deserves great emphasis. No field was too hard, no work too humble for her to do. The difficult things seemed to quicken her faith and Christian heroism. For over five and twenty-years we had together enjoyed the Master's smile, and we had said to Him cheerfully, whole-heartedly, "Thy will be done." Through these months of loneliness and constant sense of loss I have been saying still, "Thy will be done." Though looking through a glass darkly, we have full confidence in the beneficence and sweetness of His will. His grace—the fulness of His love—saves from any thought or sense of bitterness. We have no occasion to be preaching funeral sermons as we go around. There is for those in sorrow a joy upspeakable. Our marvellous Gospel is in every experience the power of God to us. It makes us more than conquerors.

ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT.

CHARLES C. TOWNSEND, *Superintendent.*

CHANGES.

St. Regis Indian Mission was not supplied with a pastor at the last Conference. The general scaling down of salaries received from the Board of Home Missions, by sixteen per cent., reduced the Mission from $500 salary to $420. This was below the living point and the mission was connected with Bombay Charge, with F. R. Griffiths as superintending missionary. He looked after the work until July 25th, when J. J. Oke, pastor of the Indian Mission on Cornwall Island, near Hogansburg, was secured as a supply for St. Regis. He has held a Sunday morning Sunday School and preaching service at the Mission Church, also a Wednesday afternoon Sunday School, and evening prayer meeting in one of the Reservation school houses. Besides these, our native class leader and exhorter, Frank Terance, holds an afternoon class meeting every Sunday, at the school house. I think the work is well cared for and interest is growing. The special feature is the increase in Sunday School attendance. Several have been converted during the year.

On September 5th, G. R. Harland at Racquette, was excused to attend Cazenovia Seminary. He has enrolled to go as a missionary, and as soon as he finishes his course at Cazenovia, he expects to enter Syracuse, until prepared to take work in some field under the Missionary Board. A. J. Green, a former student at Cazenovia, has filled out the balance of the year at Racquette.

On October 31st, E. M. Crandall was released from Chateaugay, on account of his wife's failing health. He was appointed as missionary to Tombstone charge at the extreme southern extremity of Arizona Territory. His membership continued with us until the close of March, when he was transferred to the Southern California Conference and stationed at Oceanside. A. P. Gouthey has supplied Chateaugay for the last three months.

H. C. Campbell of Waddington, one of our young men, was married during the early part of the year. The coming of a bride has made the parsonage a beautiful home.

A new charge enters the district this year—Pierrepont and Hannawa Falls. Pierrepont Center is a hamlet ten miles south of Canton. A union church stood there with no preaching except in the summer when a student might be secured as a supply. The people desired a resident pastor. They proposed to grant the use of their church with a part salary to any denomination which could furnish a man. I accepted their offer and united Pierrepont with Hannawa Falls, five miles away, where we have a good church, formerly a part of Colton charge. The people of Pierrepont have furnished a house for a parsonage, and have paid the pastor monthly. Rev. F. E. Loan has served them. While we have no membership there, the people have loyally sustained the meetings.

Church Membership.

Faithfully have the men of St. Lawrence District plodded through the mud and snow of winter, and endured the heat of summer, only to meet after a five or nine mile drive a faithful dozen or more, who appreciate the privileges of the House of God. No work is without fruit. While eighty-five have been transferred to the Church Triumphant in Heaven, they were mustered out of the church militant with honors. They died in the faith, trophies of God's keeping power. How much this means of faithful pastoral labor, and steady training of church service, the heavenly record only will show. Our measurements are not sensitive or spiritual enough to detect these forces. We can deal only with statistics. We know that three hundred and twenty children have been baptised and one hundred and twenty-eight adults—four hundred and fifty-four in all,—a little in excess of last year.

One hundred and eighty-eight have been received on probation, and one hundred and seventy-seven in full membership. This should result in an increased total membership, on the district, if the Disciplinary purging of our records has not taken off more than we have received.

Class Meetings.

Class meetings have had a revival—the old fashioned, never-to-be-outgrown class meetings. Forty-seven classes have been kept in working

order throughout the year, with a regular attendance of six hundred and thirty-seven— an average of fourteen to a class. The leaders are encouraged by the increasing interest and spirituality of the meetings. We trace this interest back to the Camp Meeting, where special discussions by class leaders were held under the direction of the District Camp Meeting Committee. And this committee has kept at work since the Camp Meeting.

Sunday Schools.

The Sunday Schools show a healthful gain in average attendance— one hundred and fifty more than last year. The Home Department has nearly doubled, now numbering four hundred and sixteen. The Cradle Roll is larger by sixty-one. Many schools have introduced improved methods of securing a larger average attendance. Organized classes, attendance card system, class banners, school thermometers, and personal work have been successfully employed.

This deeper interest in Sunday School work was kindled by a Sunday School Institute held in connection with the first District Conference in June. The Stockholm Town Sunday School Association brought their meeting into, and in connection with, our Institute. As Conductor, we secured Dr. O. S. Baketel, Special Secretary of the Board of Sunday Schools. He was a skilful leader, and a specialist in solving difficulties. Splendid papers were read, and helpful addresses given by our local Sunday School workers. It was an Institute worth while.

Epworth Leagues.

The Epworth Leagues are not increasing in membership, either from lack of material, or lack of leadership. The enrollment is about the same as last year. Some Leagues have taken up printed questions on the Bible for the regular devotional meeting, and find they add to the interest and attendance. Groups for Bible study have been organized in some chapters. Also, Mission study classes have been conducted by some of the pastors, noticeably successful at Massena and Louisville. The District Convention held at Norwood in October, was enthusiastic and instructive. A good representative delegation from nearly all of the thirty-nine Leagues of the District was present.

The Junior Leagues enroll nearly five hundred. The usual time of meeting is Sunday afternoon. Bible study forms the basis of the lessons, and yearly graduations to the Epworth League take place when the children reach about fourteen years of age.

Camp Meeting.

It would not do justice to our annual Camp Meeting to merely mention that we had a good attendance, and that all things passed off pleasantly and profitably. By common consent this was an exceptional meeting in some particulars. The tabulated results may not show a large number of conversions; indeed it was not attended largely by outsiders, except on the Sabbath. But there was something in all our meetings, pervading every sermon, stimulating every prayer service, and inspiring secret devotions that has not been displayed yet. God was there, mani-

festing His Spirit in the deep tender bonds that grew up between us as ministers. This result alone was worth the time and expense of the meeting. We learned to know each other better, and pray for each other more eagerly. The sermons were by men of the District and were of a high order. The spirit of comparison and competition was lost in the generous help each gave the other. Those who came upon the ground were impressed with the fine spirit of brotherhood among the ministers. It was nearest like a Northfield Conference of any Camp Meeting I ever attended. We broke camp refreshed, not jaded.

Evangelism.

Co-operative evangelism has been continued this year as during last year,—one pastor giving one or two weeks to a neighboring pastor with a return of like service. Some few have had the use of evangelists. The work of A. P. Dean at Hermon was sane and successful. Forty-nine were received on probation. In Malone with C. H. Ferguson as helper there were twenty-one. At Racquette, eighteen. At Heuvelton, fifteen. At Westville eleven and smaller numbers at many other places. Twenty-five churches have had accessions to their membership. Very few have been without some conversions. However, "the pastor who puts in all his time shouting over converts, and does not get them lined up for church membership has yet a few things to learn about the extension of the Kingdom," says a recent writer, and with this we agree.

Salaries

Bradstreets Journal—published since 1895, has had its hand on the pulse of prices. Comparing 1896 with 1910, and taking the wholesale prices of ninety-six commodities in common use, the rise from 1896 to 1910, was sixty-one per cent. A salary of $600 then, to keep up with the cost of living, should now be $960. Some churches realize this so keenly that they have come to rescue. This last year five have increased some. Moira adds $50, Bombay, Chateaugay and Potsdam, each $100, while the Baraca class of Norwood puts an extra $100 in for Bro. Williams. Other churches are planning to do better next year.

The census figures show that the wealth per capita has increased from $514 in 1860, to $1333 in 1910. The population has trebled; but the wealth has increased seven-fold. St. Lawrence District ought not to lag behind. In his address at Syracuse, Governor Hughes stated "that in the counties of the United States producing agricultural products, New York leads with sixteen counties as against fifteen in Illinois; and that St. Lawrence County stands first in the United States with respect to dairy cows, dairy products, hay and forage."

Quarterly Settlements Bulletin

An attempt has been made in previous years to secure a more prompt payment of pastor's salaries, with varying success, and frequent failure. This year a new plan was inaugurated, and a Bulletin issued quarterly, to show results. One thousand copies were printed each quarter and distributed to the eight hundred officials on the district. On these Bulletins the seventy-two churches of the district were grouped in classes according to proportion of salary paid.

The first quarter ending July 19th, showed, 17 churches had paid in full the first quarter's salary; 6 had paid from 90 to 100 per cent. of what was then due; 11 from 80 to 90; 23 from 50 to 80; 12 were below 50 per cent., and one church had paid nothing.

The second quarter showed that 42 had advanced over the percentage of the first quarter. In the third quarter, thirty had advanced over the averages of the second quarter. All but two of the churches have paid for the year in full.

The Ladies' Aid Society.

The Ladies' Aid is assuming an importance not intended nor anticipated in its organization. Without their work some churches would go unpainted, floors uncarpeted, and walls bare and uninviting. They are adepts at "house cleaning" both for church and parsonage. This is enough for them to do; but their willing shoulders have bent to another burden, —the pastor's salary. Suppers and sales must go on ad infinitum to pay the preacher. All honor to them; but what about the Stewards? Alas for their chivalry, and for their consecration! We believe the limit is reached and reform is imperative.

The ladies report that they have raised and paid $2,300 on current expenses, and $4,275 for other purposes. The Potsdam society contributed over $1,000 this year towards the debt, and the Canton society $750. Other smaller societies have paid sums proportionately as large.

Church Property.

The total valuation of churches on the District is $381,250, parsonages $78,600; in all $459,850.

Improvements have been made on twenty-six charges, amounting to $8,239. Church buildings have been repaired at North Lawrence, Massena, St. Regis Mission, Bombay and Morristown. At the latter place, a new steel ceiling and side walls, carpet, pipe organ and furnace have made a handsome interior. Bombay has added artistic memorial stained glass windows to the auditorium, with other improvements to harmonize. Electric lamps have brightened the "dim religious light" of Moira, Hermon and DeKalb Jct. churches. Electric lights have been installed in the parsonages at Potsdam, Hermon and Moira. Improvements have been made on the parsonages at Bucksbridge, Brainardsville, Madrid, Malone, Norwood, Rensselaer Falls and Waddington. At Burke, the old parsonage was sold and a new one built on the lot next to the church—a nine room house, finished in southern pine, modern in plan, with electric lights, city water, bathroom and furnace.

Church debts are diminishing. $8,345 have been paid this year; $12,900 remain unpaid. Potsdam has cleared off $5,156, and the balance, $4,144, is provided for by subscriptions payable next year, before Conference. Canton has paid $750, and has $4,750 unpaid.

Periodicals.

The Northern Christian Advocate leads the list with nearly two hundred subscribers, the Epworth Herald has 124, the Christian Advocate 84, the Methodist Review 18. The visit of Dr. Pearce, editor of the North-

ern to our March District Conference ought to result in a large increase. Some are planning to place a paper in the hands of each official of the local church, and so put that church on the Honor List. Massena has reached this position and leads the district. The Sunday Schools use our lesson helps, with but two or three exceptions.

PERSONAL.

"I am an optimist, through and through, though not a stone blind optimist," says Charles Cuthbert Hall. From the experiences of the past year, I would say the same. Out of all my troubles the Lord hath delivered me. The year has had three hundred and sixty-five reasons why I should "trust, and not be afraid."

One aid to my optimism has been good health. An accident gave me four weeks of rest A runaway farm team rounded a corner at Constable, and overturned Brother Davis' buggy in which I was riding as a passenger with him and his little daughter, Helen. Though no bones were broken, the impact with this earthly ball was jarring to our nerves. Neuritis followed, in my case, and the good men of my district took my work and their own for three Sundays. I have learned more practically the value of a sound body, and thank God for deliverences from "perils by land."

I have met one hundred and forty-seven Quarterly Conferences, and reached my appointments, on time, for one hundred forty-four public services. Have had the privilege of helping in four weeks of revival meetings with various pastors. Am studying in the text book of experience, though not far advanced yet; and *this has been the best year of my life.*

UTICA DISTRICT.

DAVID F. PIERCE, *Superintendent.*

Dear Fathers and Brethren—The work on the Utica District this year has been, under the blessing of God, one of pleasure and success. Both pastors and people have reason to thank God that their labor in the Lord has not been in vain.

Some changes in the pastorate have taken place during the year. F. G. Curtis of Delta and Westernville, was transferred to the South Kansas Conference and Brother Nourse was put in charge of that work for the remainder of the year and has done most excellent work.

S. W. Brown of Liberty St., Rome, was made district superintendent of Watertown District after the death of brother Seymour. Brother Scott of Prospect church was changed by Bishop McDowell to the Liberty St. church.

There has been much sickness in our parsonage homes but death has not entered any doors. Brother Alexander of Centenary, Utica, had a long and severe illness from which he has recovered in part. This greatly interfered with the work in that important church but the records will show that they have had a very prosperous year. Our dear Brother Stanford of Verona has been quite ill most of the year and will ask the Conference to grant him the relation of a superannuate. We shall

regret his removal from the work. The health of brother Benjamin Thomas does not improve and we shall be asked to continue him in his present relation. The stork has visited three of the parsonages on the district this year. Robert Usher Holmes was left at the parsonage at New Hartford, July first. This little fellow met with a serious injury from a fall when but a few months old, but from this he has fully recovered.

To the parsonage at Trenton came Wilbur F. Jennings, July 18th, and to the home of brother Lawyer came a little suffragette who votes vociferously on every subject touching her personal rights.

About $7,000 have been raised and expended this year on building and improvements. Dryer Memorial, Utica, has purchased a new parsonage at an expense of $3,200, $2,500 of this amount has been raised. This leaves only one church on the district without a parsonage.

Rome First church has raised $1,200 towards the new Sunday School building that is to cost about $25,000: Turin has spent $628 on their church, South St. Utica, $700, Lowville, $500, Westmoreland, $320, New Hartford, $200, Lowell, $175, Floyd, 175, Martinsburg, $80, with other churches for smaller amounts. About 23 churches in all have improved their property during the year. The Centenary church has just purchased a new lot on Rutger St. where they propose to build a fine new church. They may build the Sunday School building this year.

Our church at Stittville was burned to the ground March 31st. This is a serious blow to this small society. They have about $3 000 in insurance and will require help to build again.

Pastoral Support.

I think that all apportionments for pastors' salary will be paid, except at one point where the work was discontinued during the year. I expect that with one exception, there will be no charge on the Utica District paying less than $600 salary next year. The increase of salaries during the two years has been $1,360. Under the greater cost of living the pay of the preachers must be increased or we shall not be able to secure men for the work. Men can not live now on the small salaries of former years, for living has increased from 40 per cent. to 50 per cent. in a few years, and other salaries are being increased and so must the preachers'. This is a matter the Laymen's Convention ought to take up and send out their word by circular letter to all the churches.

Benevolences.

The Laymen's Missionary Movement has not been of much help to us in increasing our collections for missions. We had one interdenominational meeting in the city of Utica and following that we held a meeting of Laymen for the Methodist churches alone. These meetings and banquets gave some additional interest no doubt, the effects of which will be felt next year.

Missionary meetings of some kind have been held on nearly all the charges. I expect that the collections for missions will be larger than last year. But the old time method of making a rally for missions once a year or using cards to be collected with subscriptions at end of year,

will fail to add much to the amount we are now receiving. The duplex envelope, or some other method by which collections are made weekly or monthly at longest, the amount to be subscribed and paid like the money for current expenses, will doubtless give us more money. Our people need enlightenment on the subject of benevolent giving. When well-to-do-members think they have discharged all their duty to these causes by giving $5 for the entire list there is either a want of light or grace. The two missionary papers are a help but all the pastors are not as careful to get them into the hands of the people as they ought to be. The crying needs of the cause abroad and the need of immediate help for the work in our own land ought to move the hearts of all who love God and their fellow men.

The Italian Church Mission of Utica.

This work is now under the Italian Mission organized last September by Bishop Wilson and brother F. H. Wright of Pittsburg is the superintendent. As we are asked to furnish nearly all the financial support it ought to be included in this report. The Pastor, Rev. O. B. Neyroz, reports 172 members in full connection, 150 probationers and 125 adherents. Sunday School, 127, Epworth League, 27.

They hold three services on Sunday and a service almost every night in the week. The work is very encouraging. But the great problem is to get money to take care of the work. For some reason a part of the charges of the Conference do not seem to feel any obligation to give much financial help. If all the districts would pay as large a proportion of the amounts asked for the Conference Home Missions and Sustentation as do Utica and Herkimer Districts we would have all the money asked for the mission and a surplus to help other churches in the Conference. The great increase in the work made is necessary to furnish better accommodations for the work. After mature deliberations the "Evangelization Union" having this work in charge thought it was time to have a place of worship of our own. They purchased a lot on Elizabeth and Mary streets with frontage of 120 and depth of 240 feet. This lot is in the midst of the Italian colony of the city and cost $5,500. They borrowed $500 to pay on the same and the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension gave them $2,000. This, with a mortgage of $3,000 placed on the property, paid for the same. A temporary church at a cost of $2,000 was erected. A note of $2,500 to cover the cost of church and the amount paid on the lot was made by the trustees. About twelve hundred dollars have been raised toward the payment of this note and the outlook for the balance is not very hopeful. I asked the Epworth Leagues to pay at least the small sum of $5 each toward this indebtedness but only a very few have responded. It is so much easier to get the Leagues to pay money for the support or care of boys and girls in China or India than here in our own land to care for the waifs of our streets. We must help the people, coming to us from foreign countries, with our gospel or they in their ignorance and superstition will destroy us. We shall have to ask the same amount of the Conference for this work as last year and larger amount from the Board at Philadelphia.

Sunday School Work.

There has been a gracious revival of interest in the Sunday school work on the district, not only to increase the numbers, but to use the services of the school, as a means for the conversion of the children. At our District Conference two things were emphasized—First the Laymen's Missionary Movement and second, the work for the conversion of children. The spirit of the Conference was fine and much zeal for these causes was kindled. Many of the schools this year have held decision day services with fine results. This day when carefully conducted with long preparation for it will help us solve our problem—how to save the world. I think next year we will take for our motto, every member of the Sunday school a member of our church. This is almost true in some of our schools now. Bible classes and mission classes are formed in many of our schools and Epworth Leagues. The advance work in the Sunday schools on the district is very encouraging.

Epworth Leagues.

One Epworth League Convention was held at Boonville, following the institute at Syracuse. We sent workers there and they brought the institute back to us. Those present at our convenion said it was the most helpful Epworth League meeting they ever attended and many were anxious to go to Syracuse next year. The matter was brought up as a part of our District Conference work and brother Baldwin of Syracuse presented the work to our Leaguers. How to get the young people of our Leagues to take more interest in the real work of the church is a problem facing every pastor.

Evangelism.

While but few evangelists have been employed on the district this year, most of the churches have held special meetings, the pastor working with his people with the help of other pastors and carrying the work into the different departments of church work through the year, putting emphasis on personal work. The result has been in most places quite encouraging. The new method of personal work in all departments of church activity with all the children gathered into the fold of the church will meet our needs and secure the world for Christ. A movement to form an association of the Sunday School Superintendents on the District was inaugurated at our District Conference. This will greatly help our work for the young.

Men's and Boys' Clubs.

Many of the churches have men's clubs. Especially is this true in the city churches, and those in large towns. At first these were mere eating societies where the women of the church cooked for the men to devour. But this has passed away and these clubs are doing real work for the church, more especially in the financial work and in securing the attendance of men at church. Our churches can no longer be said to be places where women gather to hear the gospel for women; but they are now well filled with men, who, in the men's clubs and in the missionary

movement and in all helpfulness are doing the work of men for men in the church of God.

More of our churches are coming to recognize the importance of looking after the boys and we have quite a number of boys' clubs: I have never heard any leader of one of the clubs complain of a want of activity in the meetings. Live boys early harnessed into the work of the church will drive away all dullness.

Our annual camp-meeting held with the Herkimer District was attended with the usual number of people and about the usual results. The lectures by prominent men were very instructive. Our church periodicals have hardly any place in the homes of our people. Other religious papers take their place. It seems to be the price of the paper that decides which one shall be taken. How we are to change all this is a question worthy of our earnest consideration. Our intelligent people are ignorant of our own church and her work. I have been introduced to an audience as our "General Superintendent."

I have in closing to thank all the pastors and people for their unfailing kindnesses and say, what ever has been accomplished, to God be all the glory.

WATERTOWN DISTRICT.

S. W. Brown, *Superintendent.*

"As we come to make our first report as superintendent of Watertown District we would say that we came to the district officially on the fifth day of November, 1909.

"This district has had a peculiar experience in the year just closing. Brother M. G. Seymour, the royal superintendent, received his promotion Thursday evening, July 8, and went to his heavenly reward. This good man of God was held in high esteem all over the district, and many kind words in praise of the man and commendation of his work come to our ears. He was a royal man, full of heroic courage, and wonderful perseverance.

"After the death of Brother Seymour, the veteran and faithful worker, Rev. A. C. Danforth, was appointed temporarily to the care of the district. It is a blessing to follow in the steps of such a good man; for throughout the entire district we have heard it said of him, what a good man he is. But on the 26th day of March, just before dawning of Easter morning, Brother Danforth passed into the better life. We are very sorry indeed to lose such men as these, for their going leaves us with a feeling of lonesomeness, and we ask the question, where shall we find men to take their place in the ranks of the Christian army to carry on the work?

"When we came to the district, we found two charges without a pastor. Brother Robins of Barnes Corners left his work in the summertime, but through the kindness of Brother Townsend we were able to borrow Rev. A. R. Myers, to supply this work until Conference. Brother Seeley of Pillar Point had decided to return to the work of the Railroad Y. M. C. A. and was packing up to go to Syracuse. The services

of Brother Samuel Ferguson were secured for this place and he has taken diligent care of the work.

"Some of the preachers of our district have been sick during the year. Brother F. H. Lewis, pastor at Depauville, had a severe illness of typhoid fever that lasted 14 weeks. He had a hard fight for his life, but by careful nursing, he won out in the battle and is recuperating nicely and will soon be able to perform full work. During his illness Brother Harvey Casler, one of our royal men, took splendid care of this work. Brother C. E. Hastings of Copenhagen was afflicted with a throat trouble that assumed a serious form, compelling him to relinquish his work the first of February and seek the balmy climate of Texas. Bishop Moore appointed Rev. A. C. Danforth to the pastorate of this field and well did he look after its needs until God called him home. Our veteran brother, B. F. Wood, then took the work and cared for it to the present time. Sickness also has come to the home of Brother William Williams of Cape Vincent. His dear wife has had a general breakdown of her health and as far as medical skill can discern there is little hope she will ever be any better in this life.

"As we travel the district we find several needs that should be met. First, there is a great need of one or two old-fashioned praying bands such as our churches had to help them when we were boys. We find so many weak charges that do not possess the ability or strength or courage to go into special revival effort of themselves. Had we some praying bands whose members were full of Christian faith and Christian song, gifted with the power of prayer, and Holy Ghost exhortation, that could come to the aid of these charges, great good might be accomplished.

"The second great need is better pay for the support of pastors and their families. We wonder if the laity know that the question of the cost of living has reached a crisis in the parsonage home of many of our ministers. The salary fixed 15 or 20 years ago is the same that is being paid to-day in many places, with a tendency in some places to cut down. Thus, while the salary remains the same on these poorer charges, every intelligent person knows that the cost of living has increased at least 40 per cent. The question of the pastor and his noble wife is, how can we live, make ends meet, and educate our children, on the salary that we receive?

"We think that there is no class of people so efficiently and unselfishly engaged in the promotion of the well being of mankind as those who live in parsonages and toil for the best interests of those about them. Should poverty be allowed to smite these delicate spirits and sensitive natures and curtail their usefulness and cramp their unfoldments and bring them where they must live the most self-denying lives that are lived anywhere on earth?

"The solution of these questions remains with the laity, and they can only be rightly solved by increasing the pastor's salary. The preacher should have the same chance to educate his children and lay up a little for old age as the professional or business man or farmer; but he cannot do this unless his salary is increased at the same rate that the cost of living has increased. May God arouse the laity of the church to the great need of the age and the important duty of the day in the proper

adjustment of the preacher's salary in the many places where they are not receiving enough for a comfortable living!

"In church improvement and debt paying the district has accomplished some good results. Theresa, in the fall months, under the leadership of its pastor, Rev. W. J. Hancock, laid seige to a debt of $1,500 which had been hanging over them for several years. In his gracious and unassuming way Brother Hancock went out among his people and secured pledges sufficient to more than cover the debt. Of this $900 has already been paid and the balance is in the bank awaiting the note that will be due July 1st, when the entire debt will be canceled. Cape Vincent reports a payment on her debt of $450; Carthage, $250; Hammond, $125; Felts Mills, $100; Natural Bridge, $50. On nearly every charge improvements have been made on church property ranging from $10 up into the thousands.

"Charges deserving special mention are Rodman, where under the leadership of our genial and social brother, H. W. P. Allen, they have expended $975 making their auditorium a gem of beauty and comfort. Arsenal Street of this city, under the guidance of our adept and masterful leader, Brother C. E. Miller, has received new beauty and attractiveness at a cost of $800. New frescoing, new electric lights, church thoroughly renovated, and all germs of disease banished, so it is safe for the preachers to attend Conference and rest easy.

"The Gettysburg of the year of this district in church improvements has been at Asbury, of this city. We do not know but we should rename Brother Peck. He is well named now, after Wesley, the great singer; Luther, the great preacher; and Peck, the great bishop. But why not call him Meade or Hancock, or Sherman or Grant because of what he has brought to pass through the working forces of his church? When Conference adjourned last spring Asbury had no church edifice. With no place of worship, scattered, invited to join with their friends, holding their services out of the regular time, they have come through the year grandly, current expenses all provided for, Sunday School in a splendid condition, congregation growing, chapel completed, doxology sung. The chapel completed cost $40,000, they have pledges in bonds, bearing interest, to meet all the debt against the chapel, and $15,000 left to begin the erection of the new auditorium. The ladies' aid society of Asbury has accomplished a marvel in making possible the new chapel, having raised of themselves nearly $9,000. The new church edifice is to come and when it comes it will be the grandest and most unique Church in the Conference.

"The total amount expended on church improvement as reported to me, including Asbury, is $104,245; paid on old indebtedness, $2,677. Sabbath afternoon, April 3, a misfortune came to our church at Dexter, N. Y. As the people were assembled for worship, a barn back of the church near the sheds caught fire and set the church sheds on fire. From the sheds the church caught fire. A bucket brigade was formed, and by the quick and efficient work of these the church was saved from burning until the fire company could arrange their hose to successfully fight it. The church was damaged to the extent of about $500, but this is covered by insurance.

"Watertown District has not lost her zeal for revivals. Much time has been given and energy spent in this work during the year. For the most part, the pastor has been his own evangelist, aided by his brethren. Rev. J. W. Barrett, pastor at Carthage, and his members had faith to believe that they could have an old fashioned revival, that would quicken believers and bring the unsaved to Christ. They so thoroughly believed this that they were willing to pay the price and meet the conditions, and the revival came. Nearly 100 have been received on probation. Arsenal Street reports 50; Brownville and Dexter, 39; Philadelphia, 30; Bethany, 30; Cape Vincent, 29; Edwards, 28; Gouverneur, 20; Asbury, 19, and thus we might continue until we have a total reported of 504. We are glad to know that the revival spirit is on. Let us pray that it may continue until it gets a deeper hold upon the membership of the churches, for it is the only hope of the church, and the redemption of the world. As we go from charge to charge on the district it is noticeable that the Sunday School is moving to the front. It is an inspiring fact that Bible study is taking a strong hold upon the people. We are also pleased to know that the cradle roll has become aggressive.

"As we watch and read we can see a new inspiration for the church in the laymen's movement for missions. The fields are white for harvest. God in his providence has been removing the barriers that we might enter the fields, but we are aware that the harvest cannot be gathered without the harvesters and we cannot obtain and send these without money. Paul in the logic of his arguments said, 'How can they hear without a preacher, and how can they preach unless they are sent, and how can they be sent without the means by which to send them?' By the laymen's movement we can see God's plan in providing the necessary means to send laborers into the harvest field. We also see a new spiritual uplift that must come to the churches through this effort and, because of this, we are looking for good results from the district in its offerings to benevolences.

"With gratitude to God for his kindness towards me in my new work, in giving me health to serve and in protecting me in all of my goings to and fro over the district, and with a thankfulness in my heart to all for their patience with me in my imperfections and mistakes, and for sympathy and good will towards me in my serving, we are grateful. We have found the homes of the preachers and laymen a haven of rest, the sweetest places this side of Heaven. The ladies of these homes know how to feed a district superintendent and all know how to make him happy and bring sunshine to his heart. Who can excel the Methodist ladies in generosity and adaptability in service, and who can do better than the brethren?"

Reports of Committees.

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY.

We recognize the Bible as the word of God and the constitution of the Christian Church. By it the great doctrines of life and immortality are brought to light. Its revelation is of God as our Heavenly Father, and of Jesus Christ, as the only begotten Son of the Father and the Sinner's only means of Salvation. For knowledge of the teachings of this book is of first importance. If fallen man ever attains that which God designs for him, he must know the teachings of this book, and must practice them in his business, his social, his political and his religious life.

The Bible is the constitution of the Church of God—a constitution which needs no amendments. It is the inspiration of hundreds of thousands of pulpits and its principles are being taught to the millions in the Sunday Schools. Without the Bible there would be no Christian Church, no Sunday Schools, no religious organizations of young people, no Christian civilization, no Christianity.

The word of God is accomplishing a mighty task. In 1777 Voltaire prophesied that within one hundred years, the Bible would be an unknown book, but one hundred and thirty-three years of spiritual aggression since that time have made Voltaire's error exceedingly great. At present ten million copies of the Scriptures are published annually in whole or in part, in more than five hundred tongues—more than the total number of volumes published in the first eighteen centuries of the Christian era. Of this great work the American Bible Society is doing its part, issuing annually nearly two million copies in one hundred languages.

The saving power of the work is shown by the fact, that Protestant lands with only one eighth of the human race, absorb at least three-fourths of the World's supply of Bibles. This work should receive our best support. It is one of our greatest weapons in our great warfare, and we therefore recommend the interest of this great cause to every charge for the coming year.

We note with regret that during the past year there has been a decrease in the number and the amounts of collections, and we would urge that each pastor shall present this cause, so vital to the nation, and the evangelization of the world, at an opportune time.

Respectfully submitted,

S. S. Davis, Chairman,

W. P. Garrett, Secretary.

ARBITRATION AND PEACE.

Whereas, every country should make ample provision for the preservation of peace and the execution of law within its own borders, and also for its own protection, we are, nevertheless, convinced that practical disarmament should be the ultimate aim of all nations.

Therefore; Resolved, that we are in most hearty sympathy with the movement which seeks the settlement of all international disputes and differences by arbitration; and earnestly hope for the speedy coming of the day when world-wide peace shall prevail.

Resolved, that we deprecate the enormous annual expenditures involved in the support of the armies and navies of the world.

Resolved, that we commend the generous benefactions of Mr. Andrew Carnegie in providing a suitable Palace of Peace for the accommodation of the Hague tribunal.

S. T. Dibble, Chairman,
J. G. Cornwell, Secretary.

AUDITING.

The Auditing Committee have examined accounts as follows and find them correct:

F. A. Miller, Business Agent; Dr. E. A. Gayde, Treasurer of the Italian Mission of Utica; E. L. Shepard, Conference Treasurer; W. G. Atwell, Conference Secretary; S. W. Brown, Sustentation Fund.

J. M. Thomas, Chairman,
H. J. Carey, Secretary.

CHURCH INSURANCE.

The demand upon the trustees of our church and parsonage property is insistent that these properties be adequately protected from loss by fire.

The increased volume of business yearly and the prompt payment of claims commends the Church Insurance Association of Rochester, N. Y., to the confidence of all our churches.

W. A. Haven, Chairman,
George Merritt, Secretary.

THE CLERICAL LIFE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

The purpose of this word of communication is to call the attention of the Conference to the Clerical Life Insurance Association and to emphasize its aims and invite investigation.

The Clerical Life Insurance Association was organized thirty-six years ago. Since that time it has been the privilege of the brothers thus banded together to express in a very tangible manner their Christian sympathy with the families of seventy-one members of this Conference.

This Association offers to the membership of our Conference an opportunity for sane, safe and economical benefit union, while its membership affords the highest type of Christian Brotherhood.

We therefore take pleasure in bringing to the attention of this Conference the Clerical Life Insurance Association, and we request the President of the said Association, to call a meeting of the Association

Cazenovia Seminary.

We are glad to report substantial increase in the registration of students since last year. The endowment fund has been increased by $4,000. A special effort is made to secure and aid young people studying for the ministry or for missionary work. Ten such students are on the roll this year. They are organized into an Oxford Club for mutual help. Four of these young men are from our Conference territory. Dr. Thomas Nicholson spent the Day of Prayer for Colleges at Cazenovia, and later Dr. C. M. Boswell conducted a series of four days' evangelistic meetings.

Some were converted, the religious life of the students was quickened, one senior gave himself to the ministry, and two young ladies to the missionary work. We recommend that the money received by the Conference Treasurer known as the "Public Educational Collection" be paid over to the Cazenovia Seminary according to the provision in the Discipline p. 414, Sec. 1, and that said money be used in liquidation of our pledge of $5,000, and interest. We also suggest that this policy continue until the debt is paid. We congratulate Cazenovia, the oldest Methodist institution of this kind, and the church, on the efficient leadership of President C. D. Skinner. We pledge him our loyal support, and heartily commend the school to all parents planning to send their children away to be educated.

Freedmen's Aid Society.

The last Annual Report of this Society shows that our colored people in the South are crowding our twenty-two schools and colleges to such an extent that increased buildings and equipment are sorely needed by our institutions. Our schools constitute the only means by which Christian ministers, teachers, doctors and other leaders can be prepared for service among the 350,000 colored members in our own church, and to a large extent for the 10,000,000 of Black people in the United States. The colored people gave for their own schools last year $28,830.32. One of their Conferences, the South Carolina, giving $6,225.26 of this amount.

For the moral and religious training of the colored people our schools are indispensable.

The Society asks the whole Church for $250,000, or one-fifth of the apportionment for the Home Missions and Church Extension. Of this amount the Northern New York Conference is apportioned $3,600. We hereby pledge ourselves to present this cause at least once during the year to our congregations, and give our people an opportunity to contribute towards this most needful work. The amount of our collection for the Freedmen's Aid cause this year is $1,751. This is an increase over last year of $84. We recommend the observance of Lincoln Sunday for this purpose.

Folts Mission Institute.

This Institute located in the heart of our Conference, has been under an entirely new management the present year. The Rev. Richard Evans, S. T. B., a member of the Wisconsin Conference, is in charge, and is supported by a strong faculty. Twenty-four students are enrolled, four

of them being from foreign mission countries. Half of this number is taking the Bible course and half the kindergarten. In addition to the regular class instruction, a series of instructive lectures have been given during the year by able preachers and missionaries.

The outlook for the Institute under the new management is encouraging. Stronger financial support is, however, greatly needed, not only to extend the work but to continue it as now done.

The Institute does good work, and we heartily commend it to any young women preparing for service in the Kingdom of God either at home or abroad.

Theological Seminaries.

Our Theological Seminaries were founded "for the maintenance and promotion of theological instruction and education in harmony with the doctrines and discipine of our church." We believe that the history of these institutions shows that the trust committed to them by their founders has been faithfully fulfilled.

In these schools, the centers of religious thought and spiritual life, the young men come in contact with eminent specialists in the various fields of scholarship and Christian activity. The large, well equipped libraries and the special lectures before the students by representatives of the great religious and philanthropic movements of the age, keep the students in touch with all that is best in the Christian life of our times, giving them the necessary breadth of view in their outlook upon the field they are preparing to enter. The proximity of Boston and Drew Seminaries to the great centers in the East, affords the most favorable facilities for the practical study of present day problems in city evangelism, church organization and the varied work and methods of successful preachers and workers in our cities.

The special attention given to Christian missions, the training in music and oratory, admirably equipped gymnasiums, affording the best opportunities for physical culture, are some of the special features which have marked past years.

We would emphasize the fact that the privileges of these schools may be enjoyed at a minimum cost, and that more than half of the students support themselves by preaching while in school. It is highly gratifying to learn that there has been no diminution in the number of students pursuing the regular courses. We urge our pastors and superintendents to direct the attention of the young preachers of our Conference to these "Schools of the Prophets" which are committed to the task of training up a Godly and learned ministry, who shall meet the demands of our age in pulpit power, evangelistic fervor and devotion to the spiritual and social welfare of humanity.

W. D. Marsh, Chairman.

PERIODICALS AND BOOK CONCERN.

We congratulate the Church on the remarkable progress of the Book Concern as shown by the annual report.

We can but feel that Divine Providence has manifested a guiding hand in all the history of this great enterprise. We commend the wis-

dom and business methods of our publishing agents which have made this institution a powerful factor in advancing the Gospel Truth and also a source of gratifying financial return for our retired brethren.

We recommend to the members of our Conference, the Methodist Review with its scholarly articles and able editorials and the New York Christian Advocate with its wealth of moral and intellectual food for every thoughtful mind. It should be found in every Methodist home.

We are glad to recommend the Epworth Herald in its more convenient form and pleasing appearance. We recommend our Sunday School literature which is among the best in the world. Every Sunday School in our Conference should use this product of our Book Concern because Methodist Doctrines should be taught by Methodist Sunday Schools and by Methodist teachers and writers.

We commend most heartily our local Church paper, The Northern Christian Advocate, and have noticed with pleasure its steady improvement in quality. We recommend that all our preachers shall make earnest effort to put their charges on its blue ribbon list.

H. E. Davis, Chairman,
J. D. Poppe, Secretary.

STATE OF THE COUNTRY.

Nations like individuals have morals. The character of the nation is what the people make it, and national righteousness has much to do with the welfare of the people. A healthier moral tone is evident in the radical reform movement of our own and other states. The political life of the nation is being purified. The moral sense of the people has been aroused, and calls for a higher standard of national righteousness. We have come to a fuller conception of Patriotic American character, by reason of our devotion to nobler ideals.

National affairs have been administered wisely and well. We can see much that promises in the future larger growth and still greater prosperity, though it is true that evil forces threaten the overthrow of our magnificent temple of civil and religious freedom.

At all cost we must protect our American Sabbath. What we shall do with the Sabbath will largely determine our future. False ideas of a continental Sabbath must not be tolerated by American citizenship. Sunday press, Sunday base ball, Sunday excursions, and other forms of pleasure seeking are undermining the sanctity of the Sabbath.

We view with some degree of alarm, the old conflict between labor and capital. Since these are interdependent, strikes and lockouts and boycots must be regarded as a menace to the peace and prosperity of the nation. Conscience and religion must assert themselves in the solution of these problems. Capital must be more humane and just. Labor must be more prudent and industrious.

We heartily endorse the bill of state senator Bracket now before the legislature of New York, aiming to surpress the white slave traffic. We enter our protest against the sweatshop and the employment of child

labor. We champion the rights of the oppressed and down-trodden, and herald the dawn of the square deal.

W. H. Bury, Chairman,
C. V. Haven, Secretary.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES.

Sunday Schools.

Realizing the strategic importance of the Sunday School and desiring to increase its effectiveness we urge:

1. That Decision Day be observed in every school.

2. That the splendid and peerless publications of our own church be used throughout our Sunday Schools.

3. That the requirements of the Discipline regarding Rally Day and the offerings for the Board of Sunday Schools be strictly obeyed.

4. That the pastors call the attention of their Sunday School teachers to the correspondence courses offered by our Board of Sunday Schools and endeavor to secure their enrollment for these courses.

We also recommend, at the request of Rev. David G. Downey, D. D., Secretary of the Board of Sunday Schools, the establishment of a Conference Board of Sunday Schools.

Young People's Socities

We believe that the Epworth League is admirably adapted to develop the young life of the church, and while in individual cases it doubtless does not meet legitimate expectations, we are encouraged by the evidence which the Epworth Herald gives us from week to week that the League as a whole is a vital factor in the quickening of the religious life of our young people, and an effective channel for the service in the church.

Perhaps the greatest need of the League is capable leadership. In two ways at least this need may be in large measure supplied: First, by the use of the helps provided by the central office (a new set of which is ready for distribution); and, second, by sending promising young people to the Epworth League Institute at Cazenovia next August. We especially urge that the League of our Conference be represented in good numbers at Cazenovia this year. There is abundance of evidence as to the great value of last year's Institute to some of the Leagues within our territory.

We also recommend at the request of Secretary Randall that a Conference Board of the Epworth League be established.

W. A. Sullivan, Chairman,
W. I. Andrews, Secretary.

TEMPERANCE.

We rejoice that the temperance sentiment is increasing. Our hearts rejoice for the victories already won. But much remains yet to be accomplished.

If we really believe as we say we do, that the Rum Traffic is the greatest enemy of our commonwealth it behooves us to arouse ourselves and put on the armour and fight as never before this arch enemy of our homes, our families and our country.

Resolutions are well enough but they are useless unless they stimulate us to action; therefore be it resolved that,

We heartily endorse the Gardner-Holden County Prohibition Bill, and pledge our support to the use of every legitimate means in our power to promote the passage of that Bill by our legislature.

We give our hearty approval to the allied organizations in their attempt to have this bill passed and become a law.

We record our protest against any legislation which in any way legalizes the sale of intoxicating liquors on the Sabbath.

We urge every member of the Northern New York Conference to get on the firing line and help destroy this monstrous evil.

We deplore the fact that so often the forces of temperance are arrayed against each other instead of against the foe. We therefore recommend that while keeping the bonds of peace and seeking the guidance of the spirit of God, we seek for some common plane where we may unite all our forces against this common foe.

We recommend that the program committee for our next Annual Conference be instructed to arrange an evening for a great temperance rally during the session of our Conference.

We nominate as trustees of the Anti Saloon League for the ensuing year, S. J. Greenfield and William Thomas.

W. H. Summers, Chairman,
E. H. Scott, Secretary.

Financial Reports

APPORTIONMENTS, 1910-1911.

	Black River	Mohawk	Ontario	St. Lawrence
Foreign Missions	$4083	$4922	$4446	$3986
Home Missions	4083	4922	4446	3986
Conference Claimants	1287	1553	1403	1258
Freedmen's Aid	842	1016	919	823
Sunday Schools	585	706	638	572
Italian Work in Conference	489	600	533	478
Episcopal Fund	380	459	415	372
Education	182	220	198	179
General Conference Expenses	346	422	378	340

The District Superintendents.

BUSINESS AGENT'S ACCOUNT, 1909-1910.

Receipts.

Balance on hand April 10, 1909	$ 17 83	
Assessments and sale of Minutes	601 52	
Advertising	175 50	
Sale of Diplomas	2 00	
Total Receipts		$796 85

DISBURSEMENTS.

Printing	$543 50	
Postage and Express	107 50	
Electrotypes	9 43	
Statistician's Expenses	9 54	
Registrar's Expenses	5 25	
Business Agent's Expenses	5 80	
Secretaries' Expenses	13 51	
Total Disbursements		$694 53
Balance on hand, April 12, 1910.		$102 32

FREDERICK A. MILLER,
Business Agent.

CONFERENCE BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION.

The present Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension was elected at the last session of our Annual Conference held in Potsdam, N. Y., April 14-19, 1909. The following have acted as officers during the past year: President, W. H. MacClenthen, Secretary, G. H. Williams, Treasurer, E. A. Gayde.

On November 24th, a special meeting of this Board was held in South Street Church, Utica, N. Y., for the purpose of considering an application from the Evangelization Union of the City of Utica and vicinity for a bequest of $2,000 and a loan of $3,000, from the General Board of Home Missions and Church Extension.

This application was recommended by your Conference Board to the General Board, and on December 15, 1909, the secretary of this Board received from Samuel Shaw a draft for $2,000 in favor of the Evangelization Union of the City of Utica and vicinity.

The secretary of your Conference Board has received from the General Board of Home Missions and Church Extension during the past year $3,510, which sum includes the $2,000 grant made to the work of the Evangelization Union of the City of Utica and vicinity. This amount has been turned over to the treasurer of your Conference Board and distributed as follows:

Herkimer District:	
Clayville	$ 84 00
Oswego District:	
Altmar, $70, Amboy, $30, Florence, $65, North Mexico, $65, Redfield, $60, South Hannibal, $30	$320 00
St. Lawrence District:	
Hannawa Falls, $150, St. Regis Indian Mission, $420	$570 00
Utica District:	
Ava and West Lyden, $50, Italian Building Fund, $2,000, Italian Mission, General Fund, $150, Coke Memorial, Welsh Mission, $100	$2300 00

Watertown District:

Champion, $50, Point Peninsula, $50, Pillar Point, $50, Three Mile Bay, $50, Ox Bow, $36	$236 00
Total for five districts	$3,510 00

On your Conference pledge of $1,500 to the Italian Mission, the treasurer of this Board received before this session of Conference, the following amounts:

Herkimer District	$ 273 00
Oswego District	54 00
St. Lawrence District	54 00
Utica District	355 25
Watertown District	36 00
	$772 25

The total money which has passed through the hands of our treasurer the past year:

RECEIPTS.

From Treasurer of last year	$ 972 45
From District Collections	772 25
Borrowed money by note	300 00
From Samuel Shaw, treasurer of General Board	3510 00
	$5554 70

DISBURSEMENTS.

C. H. Walton, 1908 debts	$ 972 45
C. H. Walton, Treasurer of Italian Mission	780 00
Interest on note	3 50
Paid on note	200 00
Secretary's Expenses	5 88
Treasurer's Expenses	20 00
District Missionary Work	1360 00
Italian Missionary Work	2150 00
	$5491 83
Balance in Bank	62 87
	5554 70

G. H. WILLIAMS, Secretary.

EPISCOPAL FUND.

Amount apportioned to the Conference	$1,967.00
Amount paid	1,898.00
Deficiency	69 00
Amount apportioned for next year	1,626 00

C. F. MILLER, Chairman.

FINANCIAL STATUS OF ITALIAN MISSION IN UTICA.

Dear Fathers, Brethren:—

Having been elected by the Board of Managers of the Evangelization Union of Utica and vicinity, in charge of the Italian Mission in Utica,

to report to this body the financial status of that work, we beg leave to submit the following:—

First—Temporal Affairs,

As reported by the Utica District Superintendent, the Trustees of the Union purchased last fall a lot on Elizabeth and Mary Streets in the City of Utica, right in the midst of the Italian Colony, for $5,500.00, and constructed thereon a temporary chapel at an expense, including furnishings, of $2,050.00, making a total expenditure on the lot and chapel of $7,550.00. Towards this expenditure there has been received $2,000.00 from the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, and $1,125.00 from individuals within the bounds of the Conference, $1,000.00 of which has been paid towards this enterprise. It will therefore appear that the present indebtedness is $4,500.00. For this sum the property is mortgaged for $3,000.00, and the Trustees are holden by note for $1,500.00. Unless some provision is made for this $1,500.00 soon, the Trustees will be seriously embarrassed. There is now in the hands of the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees $90.83, and interest on the indebtedness is rapidly accruing.

Second—Current Expenses.

The regular current expenses of the Mission this year, including pastor's salary, assistant, janitor, rent, fuel, light and various incidental items, will be approximately $2,000.00. These bills have been met with funds received from the Conference and from the General Board at Philadelphia. After the balance now due from the Conference is received by the Treasurer of the Board of Managers there will be a surplus in the Treasury of about $800.00 to be applied on next year's expenses. This amount is about $100.00 less than the amount carried over last year.

Third—Results of the work this year.

As stated in the report of the District Superintendent, the pastor of the Mission, Rev. O. B. Neyroz, reports 172 members in full connection, 152 probationers, 125 adherents, 127 Sunday School Scholars, and 27 Epworth Leaguers. Three services are held on Sunday and there is service almost every night in the week.

Fourth—Present Needs of the Mission.

No one can question but a great field for work has opened up before us. From 15,000 to 20,000 Italians are in the City of Utica alone, and large numbers are congregating throughout the Mohawk Valley. Demands in the City of Utica are even greater than heretofore, while Rome, Frankfort, Mohawk and other points in the Valley are crying, "Come over and help us." The needs at Frankfort in particular are great. There is now a population in this village of about 1,000 Italians. They are practically from the same town in Italy, which is a decided advantage in our work. They have earnestly asked for work to be started there, and considerable work has already been done, services being well attended and a large number organized into a Sunday School. The local church has aided materially in this work.

In view of these facts we offer the following resolutions:—

First—That the same amount as pledged by the Conference last year, $1,500 be pledged this year, and on the same conditions.

Second—That an additional $600 be pledged for the Italian work in the Conference and on the same conditions as the above.

J. B. Hammond,
W. D. Marsh,
W. M. Caldwell,
C. H. Walton,
Committee.

STEWARDS' REPORT.

Balance from last year		$ 48 44
Collections from Churches (net)		4923 00
Relief Fund		86 00
Sunday Collections		103 93
Amount Received		$5161 37
Amount Distributed:—		
22 Ministers	$2015 00	
36 Widows	3135 00	
		$5150 00
Balance		$11 37

Amount for next year to be apportioned to the charges, plus five per cent. for the Conference Claimants Connectional Fund, $5,500.

W. J. Hart, President,
W. G. Wilmshurst, Secretary,
J. G. Benson, Treasurer.

Beneficiaries of funds distributed by the Conference Stewards on the basis of need.

Ministers.

D. W. Aylesworth, Wilson F. Ball, George W. Bent, Chas. W. Brooks, Samuel E. Brown, Samuel M. Fisk, Wm. C. Goodwin, LeRoy Grant, Wm. H. Hall, Melvin D. Kinney, Thos. H. MacClenthen, Irving G. Nourse, Austin M. Roe, John L. Short, Samuel Short, Asa L. Smith, F. B. Stanford, Wm. L. Tisdale, I. B. VanValkenburg, A. D. Webster, Robt. F. Whipple, George W. Wood.

Widows.

Nora M. Abbott, Eleanor G. Briggs, Libbie L. Brown, Alice O. Boyd, Jane H. Buck, R. Jennie Cobb, Frances B. Darling, Sally Dillenbeck, Julia A. Dorr, Amelia B. Guile, Julia E. Harris, Sarah E. Hastings, Mary A. Higby, Jennie M. Hill, Mary A. Holmes, Ann E. Kenyon, Matilda LeClair, Mary Lent, Mary A. Locke, Margaret Longstreet, Carrie M. Markham, Mary T. Marvin, Maria Merrifield, Mary E. Noulton, Maria W. Palmer, Mary E. Phelps, Marietta Salisbury, Frances E. Sheard, Es-

ther A. Simpson, Mary E. Smith, Maggie R. Snowdon, Adelia E. Tooke, Minnie Van Camp, Catherine A. Warn, Lucinda L. Wells, Elizabeth H. Wright.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

J. W. Barrett.

In account with the Northern New York Conference.

Debtor.

April 13-18, 1910.

To cash from 191 pastoral charges	$32,779 70
To vouchers from 174 pastoral charges	43,728 30
Total	$76,508 00

Creditor.

By vouchers returned		$43,728 30
Cash distributed as indicated by pastors' reports and paid out by order of the Conference as follows:		
Foreign Missions, check to Homer Eaton		11,065 00
Home Missions and Church Extension, check to Sam'l Shaw.		9,397 00
Education, Cazenovia Seminary, check to Chas. D. Skinner.		477 00
Children's Fund, check to Thos. Nicholson		621 00
General Education, check to Thos. Nicholson		44 00
Board of Sunday Schools, check to David Downey		537 00
Board of Conference Claimants, check to J. B. Hingely:		
Connectional Fund	$114 00	
Permanent Fund	21 00	
Percentage of N. N. Y. C. Claimants	259 00	
		394 00
Freedmen's Aid, check to Homer Eaton		1,424 00
American Bible Society, check to Wm. Foulke		267 00
W. F. M. S. , check to Miss Elizabeth Torrey		59 00
W. H. M. S., check to Mrs. J. C. Rossman		101 70
M. E. Hospital, check to A. S. Cavanaugh		207 00
Conf. Board of H. M. & Ch. Ext., check to E. A. Gayde		773 00
Conf. Claimants, check to J. G. Benson		4,923 00
General Conf. Exp., check to Oscar P. Miller		382 00
Central Office Exp. E. L., check to E. R. Graham		68 00
Episcopal Fund, check to Geo. P. Maines		1,898 00
N. N. Y. Permanent Fund, check to S. J. Greenfield		106 00
N. N. Y. Relief Fund, check to S. J. Greenfield		11 00
Italian Ch. Building Fund, Utica, check to D. F. Pierce		25 00
Total		$76,508 00

J. W. Barrett, Treasurer.

TRUSTEES' REPORT

Report of the Treasurer of the Northern New York Conference Board of Trustees for the year ending April 5, 1910.

Amount of Securities.

	Cost	Par Value
Securities in Relief Fund	$3142 00	$3200 00

	Cost	Par Value
Cash	371 02	371 02
Total	$3513 02	$3571 02
Last Year		$3477 52
Increase		93 50
Securities in Permanent Fund	$88908 91	$90550 00
Last Year		89396 76
Increase		$1153 24
Add—Relief Fund		93 50
Total Increase		$1246 74
Total Securities Relief and Permanent Funds	$92421 93	$94121 02

INVESTMENT ACCOUNT.

CREDITOR.

Cash in Banks April 8, 1909	$524 28
By Conference Treasurer for Permanent Fund	193 00
By Conference Treasurer for Relief Fund	40 00
Legacy for Permanent Fund	300 00
Individual Contribution	4 17
Securities Sold	17835 00
Total	$18896 45

DEBTOR.

To Securities bought	$18525 00
Excess of annuities over 5 per cent interest	13 50
Cash in Banks	357 95
Total	$18,896 45

INCOME ACCOUNT.

CREDITOR.

Cash in Banks April 8, 1909	$4145 12
Book Concern dividend April 14, 1909	1752 00
Income from Chartered Fund....do	22 00
Refund	3 20
Uncashed Checks	44 49
Excess of annuities over 5 per cent. int. chg. to prin.	13 50
Savings Bank interest	96 54
Interest on securities	4668 97
Refund from Woolworth estate	4 00
Total	$10749 82

DEBTOR.

Paid to Ministers	$3897 90
Paid to Widows	1869 85
Treasurer Conference Board of Stewards	75 00
Error in amount charged to Widows	2 00
Balance due Mrs. Abbott	2 40
Annuities	95 50
Accrued interest on securities bought	294 43
Expenses of Administration	62 31
Cash in Banks April 5, 1910	4450 00
Total	$10749 82

PERMANENT FUND—INCOME.

CREDITOR.

Cash in Banks, April 8, 1909	$4069 50
Income from all sources	4635 47
Total	$8704 97

DEBTOR.

Paid to Ministers & Widows, accrued int. and administration expenses	$4390 70
Cash in Banks April 5, 1910	4314 27
Total	$8704 97

RELIEF FUND— INCOME.

CREDITOR.

Cash on hand April 8, 1909	$ 75 62
Income from all sources	191 93
Total	$ 267 55

DEBTOR.

Paid Conference Board of Stewards	$ 75 00
Annuities	83 50
Accrued interest on securities bought	22 49
Cash in Banks April 5, 1910	86 56
Total	$ 267 55

BOOK CONCERN AND CHARTERED FUND.

CREDITOR.

Dividend from Book Concern April, 14, 1909	$1752 00
Dividend from Chartered Fund (do)	22 00
Total	$1774 00

DEBTOR.

Paid to Ministers	$1247 60
Paid to Widows	476 80
Cash in Bank April 5, 1910	49 60
Total	$1,774 00

SUMMARY OF FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR DISTRIBUTION.

Permanent Fund	$4314 27
Relief Fund	86 56
Balance from Book Concern &c., dividends	49 60
Total	$4449 43

S. J. GREENFIELD, Treasurer.

Ilion, N. Y., April 5, 1910.

ADDENDA.

April 13, 1910, by Book Concern dividend	$1791 00
Chartered Fund	25 00
	$1816 00
Add Balance from last year	49 60
Permanent Fund as above	4314 27
Grand total for distribution on basis of years of service	$6179 87

S. J. GREENFIELD, Treasurer.

Watertown, N. Y., April, 1910.

By order of the Board of Trustees the above funds were distributed as follows: To the Treasurer Conference Board or Stewards, $86.00; to Conference Claimants, $6,100.80.

BENEFICIARIES ON BASIS OF YEARS OF SERVICE.

MINISTERS.

Basis:—Permanent Fund, $1.88. Book Concern & Chartered Fund Dividends, $.88.

H. W. P. Allen, D. W. Aylesworth, W. F. Ball, S. O. Barnes, H. W. Bennett, G. W. Bent, Alexander Bramley, C. W. Brooks, S. E. Brown, E. C. Bruce, Samuel Call, E. S. Cheeseman, L. L. Davy, Sanger Dewey, G. B. Fairhead, S. M. Fisk, Robert Flint, W. C. Goodwin, L. R. Grant, W. H. Hall, J. E. Hall, Henry Hesselgrave, J. W. Higby, W. M. Holbrook, H. M. Hughs, W. H. Kanoff, M. D. Kinney, W. F. Markham, T. H. MacClenthen, I. J. Nourse, D. L. Phelps, A. M. Roe, B. G. Sanford, T. B. Shepherd, Samuel Short, J. L. Short, R. J. Smith, A. L. Smith, B. DeF. Snyder, W. L. Tisdale, I. B. VanValkenburg, H. E. Waugh, A. D. Webster, R. F. Whipple, B. F. Wood, G. W. Wood.

Total to Ministers. $4,120.68.

WIDOWS.

Basis—Permanent Fund, $.94. Book Concern & Chartered Fund Dividends, $.44 per year.

Nora M. Abbott, Elizabeth A. Beck, Clarissa E. Beebee, Eleanor Briggs, Alice O. Boyd, Melissa C. Brooks, Libbie L. Brown, Jane H. Buck, R. Jennie Cobb, Caroline G. Corse, Harriet Cottrell, Marion J. Cowles, Frances G. Darling, Helen O. Davidson, Sallie Dillenbeck, Julia A. Dorr, Helen Ferguson, Sarah H. Fuller, Amelia B. Guile, Julia E. Harris, Sarah E. Hastings, Mary A. Higby, Jennie M. Hill, Mary A. Holmes, Nellie Ingersoll, Maria Jones, Ann E. Kenyon, Lavina Knapp, Matilda LeClair, Margaret Longstreet, Mary S. Lent, Carrie N. Markham, Mary T. Marvin, Maria H. Merrifield, Maria R. Miller, Florilla F. Moore, Mary B. Myers, Joanna Nichols, Mary E. Noulton, Maria Palmer, Martha A. Peaslee, Ella L. Phelps, Mary E. Phelps, Martha A. M. Pierce, Marietta H. Salisbury, Frances E. Sheard, Carrie B. Sherman, Esther A. Simpson, Mary E. Smith, Maggie R. Snowdon, Adelia E. Tooke, Emily B. Vernon, Minnie B. VanCamp, Catherine A. Warn, Susanna E. Warner, Lucinda Wells, Elizabeth H. Wright.

Total to Widows, $1,980.12.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON INVENTORY OF FUNDS.

The undersigned have taken a careful inventory of the securities of the Northern New York Conference in the care of S. J. Greenfield, Treasurer of the Board of Trustees, and we find all of them properly cared for, and kept in a safety deposit vault together with a revised list of the same.

Signed in behalf of the Board of Trustees,

D. F. PIERCE, President,

Utica, April 5, 1910. H. W. BENNETT, Secretary.

Roll of the Honored Dead

"They rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

Name	Place of Death	Date of Death	Age	Joined on Trial	Years in Effective Relation*	Relation at Death
Henry S. Holmes	Vienna, N. Y.	Aug. 18, 1872	43	1854	16	Eff
Francis D. Higgins	Bouckville, N. Y.	Aug. 22, 1873	65	1839	20	Sup
Ebenezer Pease	Lawrence, N. Y.	Dec. 1, 1873	71	1845	10	Sup
Elisha Wheeler	Ellisburg, N. Y.	Nov. 13, 1874	77	1826	36	Sup
Harris Kingsley	Independence, Iowa	Mch. 4, 1875	69	1836	22	Sup
J. Starr George	Scriba, N. Y.	April 14, 1875	42	1862	13	Eff
Benj. I. Diefendorf	Fort Plain, N. Y	Oct. 19, 1875	66	1837	31	Sup
Reuben Reynolds	Brooklyn, N. Y.	Jan. 24, 1876	84	1836	23	Sup
Nathaniel Salsbury	Rome, N. Y.	Feb. 18, 1876	82	1822	42	Sup
William W. Rundell	Mexico, N. Y.	Mch 28, 1876	82	1818	30	Sup
George C. Hapgood	Syracuse, N. Y.	May 17, 1876	73	1833	31	Sup
George G. Greenleaf	Moira, N. Y.	May 18, 1876	66	1857	17	Sup
Horace Tremain	Rome, N. Y.	May 25, 1877	74	1839	14	Sup
Charles L. Dunning	Weedsport, N. Y.	April 6, 1877	75	1833	40	Sup
Gardner Baker	Thousand I. Park, N. Y.	Aug. 12, 1877	74	1824	46	Sup
Daniel O. Edgerton	Ava, N. Y.	June 22, 1878	27	1871	4	Sup
John W. Jones	Chicago, Ill	Aug. 31, 1878	81	1836	14	Sup
Francis A. O'Farrell	Sterling, N. Y	Oct. 22, 1878	72	1851	24	Sup
Almon Chapin	Sandy Creek, N. Y.	Dec. 1, 1878	69	1843	14	Sup
James R. Moore	Dayton, Ohio	Feb. 8, 1879	42	1863	11	Sup
Aaron Adams	Rome, N. Y.	May 9, 1879	83	1830	31	Sup
Joseph B. Longstreet	Mexico, N. Y.	May 24, 1879	43	1866	13	Sup
Lucius Whitney	Port Ontario, N. Y.	May 29, 1879	66	1852	25	Sup
Cyrus Phillips	Oswego Falls, N. Y.	July 6, 1879	72	1852	21	Sup
William C. Loomis	Rome, N. Y.	Aug. 23, 1879	70	1840	9	Sup
Lyman Beach	Augusta, N. Y.	Jan. 30, 1880	87	1828	29	Sup
John T. Hewitt	Fulton, N. Y.	Feb. 13, 1880	66	1847	12	Sup
Isaac Turney	Constantia, N. Y.	Mch. 5, 1880	70	1842	33	Sup
Clarence M Skeel	Denver, Col.	Aug. 9, 1880	26	1878	2	Pro
William Tripp	Ames, Iowa	Oct. 6, 1881	82	1836	25	Sup
William C. Smith	Collamer, N. Y.	Nov. 13, 1881	51	1857	25	Eff
Morgan D. Gillett	Highwood, Ill.	June 16, 1882	74	1838	29	Sup
William D. Moore	Potsdam, N. Y.	Sept. 26, 1882	80	1834	23	Sup
James B. McCullough	Cardinal, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1882	43	1866	17	Eff
William Peck	Oswego Falls, N. Y.	Mch. 16, 1883	80	1841	20	Sup
Josiah Fletcher	Readfield, Me.	May 7, 1883	50	1860	16	Sup
Henry O. Tilden	No. Lawrence, N. Y.	May 12, 1883	72	1837	39	Sup
Rufus E. King, Sr.	Hanaway Falls, N. Y.	July 27, 1883	72	1841	35	Sup
Enos E. Kellogg	Mannsville, N. Y.	Sept. 12, 1883	55	1856	28	Eff
Joseph O. Gifford	Knoxboro, N. Y.	Nov. 17, 1883	60	1860	22	Eff
Raslus O. Beebe	Ohio, N. Y.	Mch. 8, 1884	68	1849	33	Sup
George G. Dains	Hamilton, N. Y.	Aug. 3, 1884	56	1864	18	Eff
Peter D. Gorrie	Potsdam, N. Y.	Sept. 12, 1884	71	1836	24	Sup
Ephriam C Brown	Syracuse. N. Y.	Feb. 28, 1885	74	1842	40	Sup
Elijah H. Munger	Manlius Station, N. Y.	Sept. 18, 1885	74	1849	25	Sup
Miles H. Gaylord	Howardsville, N. Y.	Jan. 29, 1886	90	1827	25	Sup
John A Cosgrove	Avon Springs, N. Y.	April 2, 1886	38	1876	10	Eff
Robert N. Barber	Watertown, N. Y.	May 20, 1886	71	1844	22	Sup
David B. White	Carthage, N. Y.	July 21, 1886	55	1856	18	Sup
David Stone	Denver, Colo.	Aug. 30, 1886	73	1840	32	Sup
Edward L. Wadsworth	Saquoit, N. Y.	July 10, 1887	81	1832	20	Sup
Andrew F. Biglow	Malone, N. Y.	Sept. 20, 1887	63	1844	26	Sup
Samuel Salsbury	Constantia, N. Y.	Dec. 14, 1887	65	1850	37	Eff
Amasa C. Woodward	Spragueville, N. Y.	Jan 31, 1888	68	1854	30	Sup
Carlton N Higby	Madrid, N. Y.	April 17, 1888	42	1871	17	Eff
David B. Smith	Victory, N. Y.	May 17, 1888	67	1845	11	Sup
Orman C. Lathrop	Fulton, N. Y.	June 1, 1888	83	1840	26	Sup
Warren Turner	Poynette, Wis.	June 19, 1888	78	1838	7	Sup
James R. Smith	Sandy Creek, N. Y.	July 26, 1888	63	1854	21	Sup
David P. Knapp	Colfax, Wis.	July 31, 1888	68	1853	9	Sup
John T. Wright	Elizabeth, N. J.	Nov. 20, 1888	75	1839	28	Sup

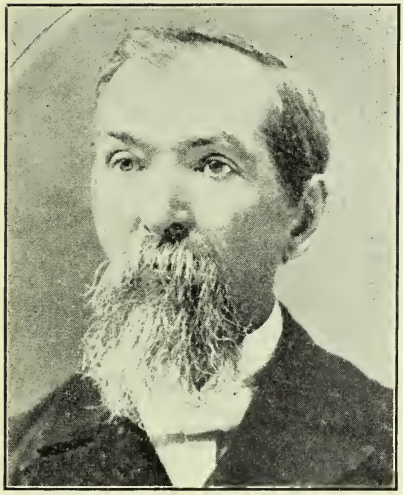
Name	Place of Death	Date of Death	Age	Joined on Trial	Years in Effective Relation*	Relation at Death
William H. Hawkins	Potsdam, N.Y.	Feb. 9..1889	74	1841	25	Sup
Amos S. Nickerson	Bernhards Bay, N.Y.	April 24 1889	73	1847	19	Sup
Daniel Fulford	Sioux Falls, S. D.	May 28..1889	79	1856	31	Sup
Charles Manson	Rome, N.Y	July 1..1889	70	1847	16	Sup
Ward W. Hunt	Adams, N.Y.	Sept. 7..1889	72	1848	28	Sup
Pomeroy Wright	Trenton, N.Y.	Nov. 24..1889	64	1855	25	Sup
Silas Slater	Copenhagen, N.Y.	Dec. 12..1889	80	1838	25	Sup
Joseph Smedley	Vermillion, N.Y.	May 30..1890	87	1854	10	Sup
Arthur A. Pierce	Oriskany Falls, N.Y.	Aug. 14..1890	38	1834	7	Eff
Hiram Nicolls	Vernon, N.Y.	Oct. 1..1890	69	1854	32	Sup
Ebenezer Briggs	Russell, N.Y.	Mch. 1..1891	67	1857	30	Sup
Simon P. Gray	Watertown, N.Y.	May 6..1891	64	1851	36	Sup
Lester Brown	Ogdensburg, N.Y.	June 10..1891	80	1849	36	Sup
Augustine E. Munson	Norwood, N.Y.	Aug. 8..1891	85	1830	17	Sup
Alburn M. Fradenburg	Watertown, N.Y.	Dec. 13..1891	58	1858	26	Sup
Benjamin S. Wright	Clayton, N.Y.	Feb. 8..1892	76	1844	24	Sup
William F. Dillenbeck	West Stockholm, N.Y.	April 19..1892	59	1877	14	Eff
Thomas Richey	Watertown, N.Y.	July 10..1892	76	1851	34	Sup
William C. Empey	Constantia Center, N.Y.	Sept. 3..1892	75	1856	26	Sup
Seymour C. Goodell	Hopkinton, N.Y.	Jan. 24..1893	74	1852	17	Sup
Isaac L Hunt	Adams, N.Y.	Mch. 11..1893	84	1834	31	Sup
Orlando C Cole	Duluth, Minn.	Mch. 11..1893	83	1847	38	Sup
Isaac S. Bingham	Herkimer, N.Y.	April 20..1893	74	1843	44	Sup
William Merrifield	Lysander, N.Y.	Aug. 3..1893	69	1854	35	Sup
Darius Simons	Washington, D. C.	Nov. 12..1893	87	1829	41	Sup
Elijah Smead	Potterville Mich.	Dec. 18..1893	89	1840	9	Sup
Orlando F Nichols	Champion, N Y.	Mch. 4..1894	64	1873	22	Eff
Samuel F. Crofoot	Central Square, N.Y.	April 2..1894	73	1855	37	Sup
Moses Wells	Bernhards Bay, N.Y.	April 16..1894	66	1866	16	Sup
LaFayette D. White	Syracuse,N Y.	June 23..1894	69	1846	40	Sup
William C. McDonald	West Winfield, N.Y.	July 5..1894	73	1847	37	Sup
Charles E. Beebe	Penn Yan, N.Y.	Dec. 2..1894	64	1855	37	Eff
John W. Roberts	Rome, N.Y.	Feb. 8..1895	76	1858	21	Sup
Sardius F. Kenyon	Oneida, N.Y.	May 22..1895	76	1852	32	Sup
Lucius L. Palmer	Malone N.Y.	Aug. 21..1895	70	1852	42	Sup
George W. Plank	Barnes Corners, N.Y.	Oct. 18..1895	76	1847	18	Sup
Albert R. Warner	Clinton, N.Y.	June 12..1896	64	1857	25	Sup
Laertes T. Conrad	Brasher Falls, N.Y.	July 13..1896	42	1894	2	Pro
Wyatt C. Lent	Montreal, P. Q.	Aug. 9..1896	71	1858	24	Sup
LeRoy M. Vernon	Syracuse, N.Y.	Aug. 10..1896	58	1860	36	Eff
Charles M. Bowen	Ravenswood, Ill.	Nov. 22..1896	89	1854	9	Sup
Ephriam W. Wheeler	Cedar Springs, Mich	Feb. 28..1897	75	1855	21	Sup
John F. Dayan	Syracuse, N.Y.	April 17..1897	78	1844	24	Sup
Waley P. Hall	Canton, N.Y.	May 14..1897	81	1857	31	Sup
Lemuel Clark	Melrose, Mass.	June 1..1897	82	1853	33	Sup
William R. Cobb	Marcellus, N. Y.	Aug. 13..1897	70	1850	38	Sup
Almanzo Blackman	Crarys Mills, N.Y.	Aug. 22..1897	94	1836	32	Sup
James R. Kav	Hermon, N.Y.	Sept. 12..1897	51	1886	8	Eff
David D. Parker	Felts Mills, N.Y.	Jan. 7..1898	78	1848	31	Sup
William F. Brown	St. Johnsville, N.Y.	Feb. 23..1898	56	1870	28	Eff
William Watson	Ilion, N. Y.	July 20..1898	76	1852	47	Eff
Allen Miller	Norwood, N. Y.	Oct. 6..1898	81	1848	23	Sup
Albert E Corse	Sandy Creek, N.Y.	Dec. 20..1898	69	1857	34	Sup
Josiah Zimmerman	Rome, N Y.	Mch. 12..1899	82	1849	31	Sup
John N. Brown	Utica, N.Y.	Sept. 29..1899	84	1843	36	Sup
A. Johnson Cowles	North Towanda, N. Y.	Sept. 30..1899	67	1868	21	Sup
Othniel Holmes	Cedar Rapids, Iowa	Nov. 4..1899	77	1854	35	Sup
Adma G Markham	Depauville, N.Y.	Feb. 8..1900	65	1860	37	Eff
Orra Squire	Greencastle, Ind.	April 15..1900	93	1834	26	Sup
Charles Sheard	Richland, N Y.	April 25..1900	45	1881	18	Eff
Joseph H. Lamb	Mexico, N. Y.	June 8..1900	85	1839	47	Sup
Merrit M. Rice	Henderson, N.Y.	Aug. 22..1900	75	1852	38	Sup
Morrell T. Hill	Adams, N.Y.	Oct. 8..1900	73	1858	29	Sup
Ebenezer Arnold	Watertown, N.Y.	Dec. 2..1900	84	1838	40	Sup
Oliver P. Pitcher	Adams, N.Y.	Mch. 17..1901	79	1852	28	Sup
John W. Simpson	Black River, N.Y.	Nov. 26..1902	64	1869	33	Sup
Anson Cheeseman	Utica, N. Y.	Mch. 12..1903	67	1861	42	Eff
Cornelius H. VanCamp	Galilee, N.Y.	Aug. 5..1903	35	1901	3	Eff
William C. Davidson	Holland Patent, N.Y.	Oct. 15..1903	55	1869	35	Eff
Andrew J. Cottrell	No. Cohocton, N.Y.	Dec. 12..1903	67	1863	24	Sup
John Bragg	Plessis, N. Y.	Mch. 17..1904	47	1887	17	Eff
Stanley F. Danforth	Brownville, N.Y.	April 23..1904	74	1863	24	Sup
Byron Alden	Streator, Ill.	May 4. 1904	98	1839	29	Sup

Name	Place of Death	Date of Death	Age	Joined on Trial	Years in Effective Relation*	Relation at Death
William A. Nichols	Norwood, N.Y.	May 19..1904	89	1843	43	Sup
Samuel M. Warn	Watertown, N.Y.	July 2..1904	79	1864	23	Sup
Reuben Sherman	Mexico, N.Y.	Feb. 1..1905	63	1879	23	Eff
Henry C. Abbott	Fulton, N.Y.	Mch. 29..1905	73	1859	36	Sup
Horace M. Danforth	Camden, N.Y.	April 13..1905	78	1856	42	Sup
Gordon Moore	Adams, N.Y.	April 23..1905	68	1860	36	Sup
Franklin H. Beck	Los Angeles, Cal.	July 8..1905	66	1860	29	Sup
Alonzo Wells	North Lawrence, N.Y.	July 22..1905	82	1850	23	Sup
John V. Ferguson	Utica, N.Y.	Aug. 1..1905	76	1854	47	Sup
Julian H. Myers	Malone, N.Y.	Dec. 7..1905	49	1887	19	Eff
James P. Dunham	Heuvelton, N.Y.	Jan. 18..1906	59	1876	25	Eff
Lyman E. Marvin	St. Paul, Minn.	Jan. 21..1906	75	1857	16	Sup
James Stanley Buck	Syracuse, N.Y.	June 30..1906	82	1856	42	Sup
Squire Boyd	Middlesex, N.Y.	Aug. 18..1906	72	1865	13	Sup
Homer R. Northrup	Harradura, Cuba	Dec. 17..1906	70	1864	40	Sup
Levi B. Noulton	Lowville, N.Y.	Dec. 28..1906	65	1870	30	Sup
George S. Hastings	Heuvelton, N.Y.	Jan. 2..1907	76	1872	19	Sup
Heman A. Harris	Rome, N.Y.	April 26..1907	66	1876	17	Sup
Wesley F. Tooke	Syracuse, N.Y.	May 11..1907	74	1862	44	Sup
Abel S. Barter	Rensselear Falls, N.Y.	June 9..1907	81	1855	12	Sup
Isaac D. Peaslee	Clinton, N.Y.	Oct. 15..1907	67	1863	42	Eff
Josiah C. Darling	Syracuse, N.Y.	Oct. 17..1907	65	1870	34	Sup
Hiram M. Church	Paw Paw, Mich.	Nov. 13..1907	78	1854	44	Sup
Brayton M. Phelps	Chaumont, N.Y.	Feb. 15..1908	52	1883	25	Eff
Charles E. Dorr	Flackville, N.Y.	Mch. 13..1908	63	1875	29	Eff
Stewart E. Snowdon	Brownville, N.Y.	Sept 5..1908	40	1897	11	Eff
Alexander LeClair	Lyndon, Wash.	Sept. 27..1908	97	1855	12	Sup
Chamberlayn Phelps	Perch River, N.Y.	Oct. 6..1908	78	1854	44	Sup
Erasmus W. Jones	Utica, N.Y.	Jan. 9..1909	91	1848	38	Sup
Soranus C. Corbin	Copenhagen, N.Y.	Jan. 11..1909	75	1855	21	Sup
Charles H. Guile	Pulaski, N.Y.	Mch. 10 1909	69	1863	41	Sup
Munson G. Wadsworth	Binghamton, N.Y.	Mch. 12..1909	76	1856	47	Sup
Webster Ingersoll	Hill View, N.Y.	May 24..1909	62	1874	23	Sup
F. Kingsley Pierce	Minott, N.Y.	May 28..1909	77	1876	22	Sup
Myron G. Seymour	Watertown, N.Y.	July 8..1909	54	1885	24	Eff
Harlow Skeel	Ilion, N.Y.	July 23..1909	84	1854	42	Sup
Jonathan G. Brooks	Oneonta, N.Y.	Aug. 12..1909	77	1864	34	Sup
Albert W. Locke	Oswego Center, N.Y.	Dec. 23..1909	37	1898	11	Eff
Wicks S. Titus	Williamsville, N.Y.	Jan. 22..1910	89	1850	39	Sup
Albert C. Danforth	Watertown, N.Y.	Mch. 26..1910	62	1871	37	Eff

*Note—The years spent in the effective relation are limited to service in some Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

MEMOIRS

WEBSTER INGERSOLL



Webster Ingersoll, son of Archibald and Charlotte Ingersoll, was born in Pulaski, N. Y., July 12th, 1846, and finished his earthly career May 24th, 1909, at Hill View, Warren County, N. Y. His education was acquired at the Pulaski Academy, and at Middlebury College, Vt., from which he was graduated. He was converted through the instrumentality of a fellow student while in his freshman year in college and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church in which he had been reared, at Pulaski, N. Y., in 1868. Out of his conversion grew his call to preach the gospel, for which he was duly licensed by the Pulaski Quarterly Conference in 1870. In May, 1874, he joined the Northern New York Conference and was ordained a deacon by Bishop Foster. On April 27, 1879, he was ordained an elder by Bishop Harris. He filled the following appointments: Sand Bank (now Altmar), Floyd, Lowell, Ames. While serving this charge, it was transferred to the Troy Conference, carrying his membership with it. His following appointments in that conference were Kinderhook, White Creek, Warrensburg. In 1884 he was made a missionary to Montana with his membership in the West Wisconsin Conference. His appointments were Miles City, Osceola-Mills, Pepin, Anaconda and Dillon. During his sojourn in the west, the Montana Conference was organized and he became a member of that body. In 1889 he was transferred to the Northern New York Conference and filled the following appointments: Lafargeville, Elisburg, Cedar Lake, Croghan, Montague, Felts Mills. In 1897 he was superannuated. For many years he had not been vigorous, but his heart was in the work, and he was loathe to give it up. During the years of his superannuation he supplied various charges, as he had opportunity, both in his own and in the Troy Conference. He was four years at Redford, one year at Valcour, two years at Reber and one year at Bolton Landing and one year at Point Peninsula.

Ten weeks before his death he fell and fractured his hip which occasioned him intense suffering. His death was probably due to tuberculosis.

Brother Ingersoll had a good mind and was well qualified by education for his work. He was an excellent preacher, and like Stephen, full

of faith and of the Holy Ghost. He loved the doctrine of holiness and exemplified it in his life. He was a loving husband, a kind and affectionate father, a warm hearted, genial friend.

His suffering was intense, but not a murmur escaped his lips. Patience wrought its perfect work in him. No clouds obscured his spiritual vision. The gospel which he offered to others was a sufficient support and comfort to him. He was able to commit himself unfalteringly to the care of his Heavenly Father, knowing that the foundation of His word standeth sure.

He has finished his work and no doubt has heard the Master say, "Well done, good and faithful servant, enter thou into the joy of thy Lord."

The funeral services were held in the Methodist Episcopal Church at Pulaski, N. Y., the Rev. Frederick Maunder preaching the sermon, assisted by Revs. W. H. Hall, G. F. Shepherd and C. V. Haven. His remains were laid to rest in the Pulaski Cemetery.

Webster Ingersoll was twice married. His first wife was Miss Dora Nutting, of Fernwood, N. Y. Of this union one son was born to them, Jay Ingersoll, who grew to young manhood and developed a most beautiful Christian character. He died in 1904.

His second wife was Miss Nellie Williamson of Beachburg, Ontario Canada, an estimable woman, who entered heartily into his work and cared for him tenderly in his sickness. She, with seven sisters and four brothers, mourn his death.

A. Bramley.

FRANCIS KINGSLEY PIERCE

The distinct, unique personality of this devoted successful minister calls for special recognition. He was born April 30, 1832, at Osborn Hill, near Herkimer, N. Y., and died at his home in Minott, Herkimer county, N. Y., May 28th, 1909. Brother Pierce had an honored ancestry. He was the fifth son of Captain Alvin and Thankful Langdon Burt Pierce, who came from Wilbraham, Mass., prior to 1817, and settled near Newport, Herkimer county, N. Y. His mother could trace her pedigree to Henry and Eulalia Burt who came from England and located at Springfield, Mass., in 1640. The family tradition is that Bishop Burt comes of the same line. Brother Pierce's grandfather, Sergeant Francis Pierce, was born at Suffield, Conn., in 1734. He was a school teacher and among his pupils was Gideon Granger, Postmaster General from 1801 to 1814.

Our brother's boyhood was marked with a variety of experiences.

Under his mother's tuition he became a reader and reciter of some merit. When nine years old he entered a newspaper office at Little Falls, N. Y., but journalism was not to his liking. In the Providence of God, in his eleventh year (1843) he became a member of the godly household of Rev. Simeon Osborn, of Osborn Hill, a few miles from Herkimer. This movement settled his future. The Osborne family was noted for spiritual and mental strength, and their influence was far reaching. Here he acquired a fund of knowledge that became an important factor in his after years. Here he was brought in communion with the best minds of the county. Here was the itinerant's home, and young Pierce profited by them. His common school privileges ended early, but his educators were many, and among them, and not the least was the Saturday afternoon debating school, in which he acquired readiness and accuracy of speech. He studied the master poets, ancient and modern history and almost committed to memory Wayland's Moral Science and Butler's Analogy. In this latter subject he stood high in subsequent conference examinations. He profited by the acquaintance of Rev. Stephen Turtelot, M. D., who was regarded as an unexcelled bibliographer. In 1849 he was a student at Fairfield Academy. Thus equipped he began life as a progressive, prosperous farmer.

In 1854 he married Martha A. Minott, of Schuyler, N. Y., who, like her husband, is properly proud of her lineage, tracing her ancestry to Capt. Edward Johnson, 1599-1672, the founder of Woburn, Mass. who was prominent in the settlement of Massachusetts Bay Colony and represented Woburn in the General Court many years. Twice Brother Pierce was elected Justice of the Peace.

He was licensed to exhort July 23, 1871, and for fifteen months conducted meetings at Osborn Hill and adjacent communities, greatly to the advantage of the people. March 22, 1872, he was licensed to preach, A. B. Gregg, Presiding Elder, and for three years, 1873-75, supplied Schuyler and West Frankfort within the bounds of his own home; so that for nearly five years prior to entering the regular ministry Brother Pierce preached in his native and adjoining towns. This is certainly a tribute of unusual merit.

He was admitted into the Northern New York Conference, at Potsdam, 1876, in a class of eleven, but one of whom, Rev. D. F. Pierce, D. D., remains in active Conference work. In 1878 he was received into full connection, and in 1880 into the eldership. Brother Pierce's appointments were Salisbury Centre, St. Johnsville, Cedar Lake, Cold Brook and Russia, Jordanville, Cold Brook and Russia (second time), six in all, in each of which he remained the full time. It is worthy of record that not one of his appointments was more than twenty miles from the place of his birth, a circumstance that carries its own comment.

His ministry was attended with revivals. Monuments to his success are much in evidence. Nothing declined on his hands. Spritual and material prosperity attended his labors. He built, and paid debts. The church property at St. Johnsville, Cold Brook and West Frankfort are proofs of his business skill.

In 1898 Brother Pierce retired from the active ministry and resided on his farm at Minott, N. Y. Here he interested himself in the social and

religious welfare of his neighbors and his town, bettering the conditions of those with whom he associated.

Our brother had the gift of adaptation with the temperament of success. He abounded in practical common sense. Industrious himself he had sympathy for all workers. His intuitive sagacity was mingled with shrewdness and simplicity. Thoroughness and accuracy will be accorded him. His convictions were so honest and energetic that he needed no stimulus to manifest them. He was a man of great reserves. His faith was child-like and manly. His heart throbbed for God and humanity. He fronted all measures for social regeneration with hope. His energy was calm and constant, never impulsive or impassioned. Buoyancy and hopefulness carried him forward without despondent reaction. His modesty was conspicuous. No man had less consciousness of self seeking than he. His life was full of promise and fulfillment.

Love was the law of his home. The golden wedding of this loving couple was observed August 27, 1904. It was a celebration of the richest experiences. He passed his seventy-seventh birthday in his home April 20, 1909. August 2, 1899, three of his barns were struck by lightning and Brother Pierce never recovered from the effects of his efforts at that time.

On the morning of his departure he was sowing grass seed in his field when an attack of neuralgia of the heart brought him suddenly to the close of his beautifully busy life. The last Sabbath of his stay on earth he preached in the absence of his pastor. The late Rev. Walter Burt Pierce of Utica was his brother.

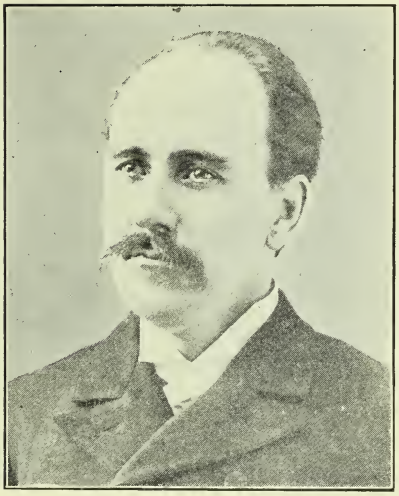
Brother Pierce is survived by his widow, their two sons, Frank Minott and Edwin Burt, five grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

The funeral services were held in the church at East Schuyler, conducted by Rev. L. J. Read. A beautiful and fitting eulogy was given by Rev. W. H. MacClenthen, District Superintendent. The bearers were the two sons, Frank Minott of Dolgeville, and Edwin Burt of Ilion, and two grandsons, Seymour and Claude Pierce. The King's Daughters and Sons conducted impressive services at the grave.

He has taken his place among the immortals. His name is enrolled among the faithful. In the ripeness of his character, he enriched the world.

T. B. Shepherd.

MYRON G. SEYMOUR



Rev. Myron G. Seymour, District Superintendent of Watertown District of the Northern New York Conference, died at his home in Watertown, Thursday evening, July 8, 1909, aged 54 years. He had been in failing health for some time, and for a week prior to his death his condition was serious; but to the last he pressed his arduous work with great vigor. Myron G. Seymour was a man of high ideals and of rare qualities. Goodness was a strong characteristic. This appeared not only in his kindly social qualities. It was felt in the moral and spiritual qualities that converged in his devotion to duty. Whatever appeared to be necessary to the success of the kingdom of God commanded his fullest powers continuously. And his goodness was marked by sincerity. He could not give himself to intriguery. What he did must be direct and open. This caused those associated with him to trust him. All this led to that energetic devotion to duty that so strongly characterized him. No task was too great for him to attempt, and scarcely any necessary task was beyond his accomplishment. On every charge, and in the larger work of district supervision, he brought things to pass. He presented a forceful example of the strenuous life, minus the ruthless elements sometimes associated with it . His work as Superintendent was of the same high order as that of his pastorates. His career as a preacher naturally partook of these qualities of the man. He was so interesting that the attention was at once enlisted and held. He was so intense that he carried his hearers with him from the opening sentence to the last word. He was so instructive that no one went from him without a mental and spiritual quickening. And he was so evangelistic that hundreds are today rejoicing in the newness of life that came to them through his ministry. In 1907, at the Conference in Gouverneur, Bishop Wilson appointed him Presiding Elder of Watertown District. He was again appointed in 1908 and in 1909. In the care of this large field his work shows his excellent administrative ability, being marked by good judgment and skill in handling the multiplied details of his office. Among the churches of the district he has endeared himself to ministers and people.

Myron G. Seymour was born at Martinsburg, December 12, 1854, the son of Alpha and Sarah Seymour. He attended the Lowville Academy and, after graduation, spent some time in teaching school. At the age of sixteen he moved to Verona, N. Y., where thirty-five years ago he

was united in marriage to Helen Young. Converted early in life, he was licensed to preach on May 22, 1884, at Verona, by Presiding Elder L. L. Palmer. He was admitted to the Northern New York Conference on trial April 14, 1885, and into full connection April 6, 1887. He was ordained a deacon by Bishop Foss in 1887, and an elder by Bishop Ninde in 1889. He preached at Russell in 1884; Lafargeville, 1885-86; Chaumont, 1887; Hermon, 1888-89; Heuvelton, 1890-91-92; Sandy Creek, 1893-94-95-96-97; St. Johnsville, 1898; Frankfort, 1899-1900; Ilion, 1901-02-03-04; Gouverneur, 1905-06; Watertown District, 1907-08-09.

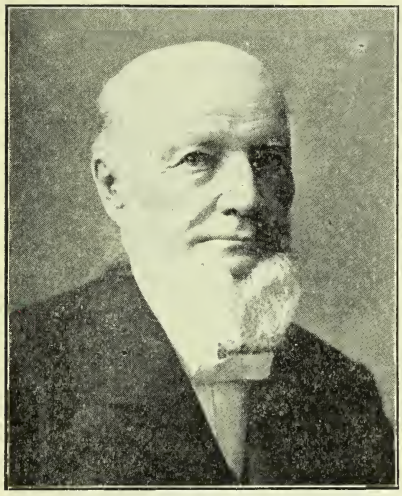
He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Helen Seymour, and by his aged mother, Mrs. Sarah Seymour. The funeral was held at the Arsenal Street Methodist Episcopal Church, Watertown, in charge of the Pastor Rev. C. E. Miller, Monday afternoon, July 12. All of the ministers of the district were present, with many from other parts of the Conference, and the District Superintendents, who acted as honorary pall bearers.

The active bearers were Revs. G. H. Nelson, J. W. Barrett, E. E. Cheeseman, W. I. Andrews, J. D. Poppe, and N. A. Darling. At the house Rev. W. P. Garrett read the Scriptures and Rev. W. H. Bury offered prayer. At the church the District Superintendents participated and Rev. C. L. Peck offered prayer. Rev. Dr. D. F. Pierce spoke for the District Superintendents, Rev. A. C. Danforth as the predecessor of Brother Seymour, and Rev. C. E. Miller as the pastor and friend. Interment was at Verona, N. Y., on Tuesday, the 13th.

There are no standards with which to compute the loss of such a man to the church and to the community. We feel a just pride in the church and the faith that produced him. For such an one there can be nothing less than a princely place in the heavenly kingdom.

Watertown, N. Y. CHARLES E. MILLER.

HARLOW SKEEL



At the home of his daughter, Mrs. T. V. Hollis, at Ilion, N. Y., on Friday, July 23, after an illness which had lasted for several months, the Rev. Harlow Skeel, an honored member of the Northern New York Conference, passed to his eternal rest, eighty-five years of age. The closing of his life was like the slowly setting of a summer's sun in a sky perfectly clear, for his experience, down to the very last moment, was of the brightest and clearest, and his faith in his Divine Lord and Master was without the faintest shadow.

The Rev. Harlow Skeel was born at Red Creek, Wayne county, N. Y., September 25, 1824. He was brought up on a farm and educated at Red Creek Union Academy, in Wayne County, N. Y., graduating from that institution in 1846. He began teaching school in 1842 and continued until 1853. He taught mostly in district schools in Wayne, Cayuga and Onondaga counties. He was teaching in Oswego when the school house and forty-five acres of the city were destroyed by the great fire of July, 1853. He lived in Oswego from January 21, 1851, until the fire. The day after the fire the presiding elder of the Syracuse district called upon him to go to Williamstown and preach as a supply. His first sermon was preached at Williamstown, July 10, 1853. He was licensed as an exhorter and preached at Williamstown for two years. In 1854 he was recommended to the Black River Conference and joined it at its session in Camden during that year.

Brother Skeel entered the ministry with a heart filled with glowing zeal for the salvation of sinners, and no sermon was regarded as having been beneficial unless it ended with an earnest and melting appeal to sinners to yield themselves to Jesus Christ. His intellectual gifts and his oratorical temperament fitted him from his earliest ministry to be very successful in prevailing upon the unsaved to enter into the Kingdom of God, and particularly at camp meeting his appeals were very effective, his prayers moving the large congregations that would assemble there, sometimes even more deeply than the sermons that followed. His character was remarkably beautiful, the development of it having been symmetrical.

Although so intensely devoted to his high calling, so intensely that it was the chief and the great thing in his life, he found ample time to make a study of and to become interested in the works of nature to quite a degree, undertaking such astronomical studies as his time and

opportunity afforded, and also becoming a botanist and naturalist of quite wide knowledge and experience. This knowledge enabled him to make his sermons of unusual interest to children and youth, and also enabled him to talk to children in a manner that held their interest. He felt it a pleasure and a duty to familiarize himself with every advance made by science and there was hardly a subject on which he could not write both interestingly and instructively. In his day Mr. Skeel had written considerable poetry. On of his best poems is on "Mountains." He also wrote quite a number of lectures, which he delivered for various societies in order to raise money for missionary or church purposes or to pay church debts. Among the lectures that were best known were one on the "Centennial of Philadelphia," another on "Purpose and Possibility," another on "Heathen Temples," another on the "Finding of Pharaoh, or Rameses and Moses," and another astronomical lecture, entitled "Among the Stars."

For forty-two years he was an active member of the Black River and the Northern New York Conference. His effective year beginning in 1854 and ending in 1896, at which time he accepted the relation of a superannuate.

His ministerial labors were marked by unusual usefulness. He repaired churches at Frankfort, Norwich and East Hamilton. He was for thirteen years on the examining board of Falley Seminary when it was in its most prosperous days. He was elected a member of the Conference Insurance Society at Carthage in 1872, and remained in it for the rest of his life. He built or rebuilt churches at almost every charge that he had. He built a new parsonage at Rose Valley and a new church at Hannibal. While presiding elder at the Oswego district he averaged a dedication or re-dedication of a church every four and one-half months. Of $56,000 raised by the conference in one year to pay off old church debts, Mr. Skeel's district, Oswego, raised $20,000.

The following is an outline of Brother Skeel's ministerial career: Licensed to exhort in 1850, at Hannibal, N. Y., Rev. J. Smedley, pastor; to preach on the Amboy and Williamstown charge July 23, 1853, Rev. G. G. Hapgood, presiding elder; admitted, May 31, 1854; full connection, June 20, 1856; deacon, June 22, 1856—Waugh; elder, May 31, 1859—Scott. Appointments: 1854, Williamstown; 1855-56, South Butler and Savannah Mission; 1857-58, Lysander; 1859-60, Baldwinsville; 1861-62, Rose; 1863-64-65, Hannibal; 1866-67, Cleveland; 1868-69, Pulaski; 1870-71, Fairfield; 1872-73-74; Sauquoit; 1875-76-77, New York Mills; 1878-79-80-81, Oswego District; 1882-83-84, Frankfort; 1885-86-87, Waterville; 1888-89-90, Norwood; 1891-92-93-94-95, East Hamilton; 1896 to 1909, superannuated.

June 20, 1848, Brother Skeel married Miss Lucy C. Duel of Sterling, who died July 17, 1905. His children are Franklin D., surgeon of the New York Eye and Ear Infirmary; Clarence M., a graduate of Wesleyan University in 1875, who died in 1880, as a member of the Northern New York Conference; Willard G., of Syracuse; Mrs. T. V. Hollis of Ilion, and Fred F., of Chicago. He leaves a brother, Orrin, of Lena, Ill., and a sister, Mrs. Olive Ann Wetherby, of Saginaw, Mich.

The funeral was held from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. T.

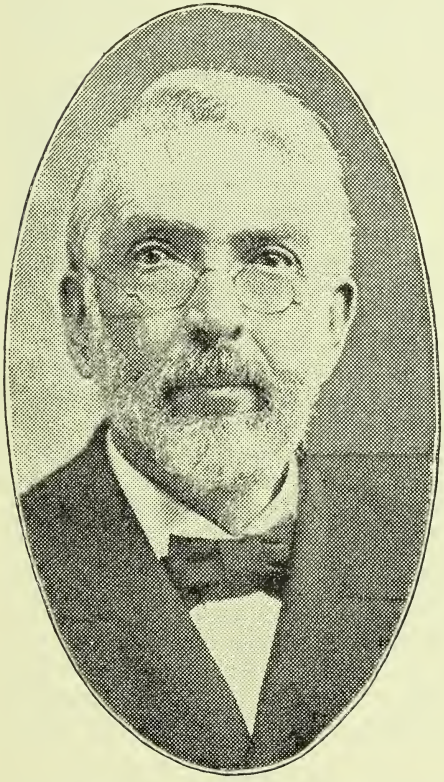
V. Hollis, and was conducted by his pastor, Rev. S. J. Greenfield. who offered prayer; the scripture lesson was read by Rev. W. L. Tisdale, and a most appropriate, worthy and tender address delivered by Rev. W F. Markham; the burial was in Armory Hill cemetery; at the grave, services were conducted by Rev. W. D. Chase, Rev. W. D. Marsh, Rev. G. B. Fairhead and Rev. S. J. Greenfield. Rev. H. D. Holmes, Rev. A. Corbin, Rev. Wm. Caldwell, Rev. D. M. Lewis, Rev. C. M. Gearhart, Rev. R. E. King and Rev. Frank Arthur were also in attendance.

Large numbers attended the services, including delegations from the churches which he had served at Frankfort, East Hamilton and Waterville.

Ilion, N. Y.

S. J. Greenfield.

JONATHAN GURNSEY BROOKS



Death is reaping a full harvest among those whom the church delights to honor, and we add another as we sadly but lovingly repeat the name of Jonathan G. Brooks, of the Northern New York Conference, the beloved pastor of troubled souls, and faithful to the last.

Brother Brooks was born in Solon, Cortland County, N. Y., November 27, 1833, and died at his home in Oneonta, N. Y., August 12, 1909.

His parents, Ranson and Martha Allis Brooks, were pronounced Christians, who followed their convictions of duty with Puritan fidelity. Patriotic blood flowed in his veins as his grandfather, Wolcott Bennett was a brave soldier in the Revolutionary War.

Brother Brooks was converted when nineteen years of age, under the ministry of Rev. Elijah Brown in Union Valley, N. Y. There was, however, no waste to his life. He was never compelled to reap the harvest that results from sowing wild oats. Among his youthful virtues were purity, industry and obedience. His conversion was

the commencement of a career of consecration to God and humanity. His early inclination was toward the medical profession, but his newly awakened love for Christ, coupled with his mother's earnest desire led him into the ministry. His call was undoubted and came with convincing proof and his entrance therein was by the olden route of the fathers. At Cazenovia Seminary, that gymnasium of Methodist preachers, he received such equipment as time and circumstances afforded.

His license to exhort was given at Union Valley, June 18, 1854, Elias Bowen, D. D., a hero in his day, the presiding elder. Three years later, April 6, 1857, on the same charge, he was licensed to preach, D. W. Thurston, presiding elder. In 1862 he supplied Keeney's Settlement and in 1863 Spafford's Hollow.

Brother Brooks was admitted on trial into Oneida Conference, April 11, 1864. Among his classmates were M. S. Hard, Theron Cooper, H. R. Northup, B. W. Hamilton, H. F. Fisk. He received deacon's orders April 21, 1866, and was advanced to eldership April 12, 1868. With the gladsome energy of interior conviction he buckled on the armour, never to take it off. While in Oneida Conference, 1864-1871, Brother Brooks served the Freeville, Freeville and Etna, Georgetown, Amber and Borodino charges.

By change of boundaries in 1872, he became a member of the Northern New York Conference, with the following pastorates: Steuben, Middleville, Cold Brook and Poland, Forestport, Jordanville, Brookfield and Leonardsville, Westmoreland, Knoxboro and Deansboro. Revivals always attended his ministry. He was a genuine evangelist, faithful and untiring. There was a wealth and warmth in Brother Brooks' friendship that he successfully used in winning men for Christ. By song, sermon and pastoral visitations he proved that the salvation of men was his life-lasting endeavor.

He was married July 22, 1856, to Miss Melissa C. Bennett, of Lincklaen, Chenango county, N. Y., and to this devoted couple were born four children. The eldest, Milo H., passed away when but four years of age. This great loss Brother Brooks bore in all the silent manliness of grief. Home to him was sacred. No public duty lessened his personal share in his devotion to his children. In the loveliness, intelligence and promise of every member of his household there was enough to command his warmest affection. It was a great ambition to bring to his children all the good that could come from parental presence and counsel. Tender were his expressions of gratitude to God for the estimable companion of his life, who was converted in her seventeenth year and in the same revival as himself, and for the children God had given him. With unbounded pleasure this devoted couple celebrated their "golden wedding" on the 22d of July, 1906. "Theirs was a loving companionship through a life of simplicity, usefulness, cheerfulness and peace" said a dutiful daughter.

Brother Brooks excelled in all the sympathetic and advisory relations of life. His generosity, which grew with his years, won him hosts of friends. His belief was never a matter of debate. He was loyal to the spirit, creed and traditions of Methodism. He loved to sing "Faith of Our Fathers." The principles approved by his best judgment were in-

corporated in his faith and practice. He hated selfishness and unfairness, and endeared himself as a friend, neighbor and citizen to all classes of society. No self-denial was too great if thereby he could serve a friend. Life to Brother Brooks was a perpetual delight in loving and living with God. He was alive to beautiful things. He went through life unscathed and untarnished. The ministry was a serious thing to him, for he saw men in the mirror of eternity. Age did not dampen his ardor, young people clung to him in confidence. Indeed, he was interested in all that pertained to his fellows.

Brother Brooks was a thoughtful sermonizer and faithful pastor. He was not an ecclesiastic and seldom took part in debates. After thirty-six years of most useful, beneficent service, our dear brother retired from the labors incident to the itinerancy. In the beautiful city of Oneonta, N. Y., in 1898, he repaired to spend the evening of his years, not in idleness, however, but to continue work as health and circumstances favored him. Many were the calls made on him to which he cheerfully responded. Brother Brooks greatly endeared himself to the church in Oneonta by his sweet disposition, activity in church work, and his generosity.

His last sermon was delievred on Memorial Day, at Morris Hill, N. Y., where his father was born and his grandfather was buried. After a long and painful sickness which was borne with perfect Christian resignation, the loving Father released his purified spirit and Brother Brooks "fell asleep in Jesus."

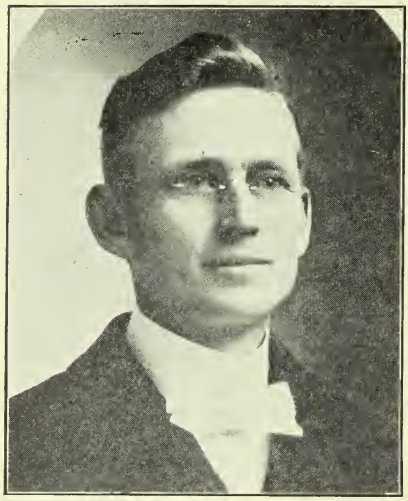
The funeral services were held at his late home and from the Methodist Episcopal Church, Oneonta, N. Y., Saturday August 14, 1909, and were conducted by Rev. Austin Griffin, Superintendent of Oneonta District, Rev. T. G. Dickinson, pastor of the church and the writer. There was abundant and touching evidence in the solemnity and grief of the congregation of the reverence and affection in which Brother Brooks was held. His body was laid at rest in Glenwood cemetery.

With Mrs. Brooks to await the happy reunion bye and bye, are three daughters, Mrs. George P Armstrong of Belmont, Mass.; Mrs. M. I. Hunt of Pueblo, Colo., and Mrs. C. F. Huntington of Morris, N. Y.; also one brother, W. A. Brooks of Hampton, Iowa, a sister, Mrs. W. A. Keeler of Rome, N. Y., and also two grandchildren, Esther Leond and Faith Bennett Hunt.

Our brother has reached those heights of ceaseless day and ceaseless life of a bright and radiant eternity.

T. B. Shepherd.

ALBERT WELLINGTON LOCKE



This promising young minister was born in Inkerman, Ontario, March 25, 1872, and died at Oswego Center, N. Y., December 23, 1909. He was the son of John and Elizabeth Locke; the eighth of their nine children. Converted in his native village, his religious experience was remarkably clear and joyous, and immediately he began to exercise his gifts as class leader, exhorter and local preacher. His ability was soon recognized and he was in constant demand. His success as a soul winner was seen in his own home, resulting in the conversion of his mother. He was an evengelist from the start. On the evening of his conversion, he held on his way home, no less than six prayermeetings. All classes were attracted to him, and everywhere he went the power of a godly life was felt.

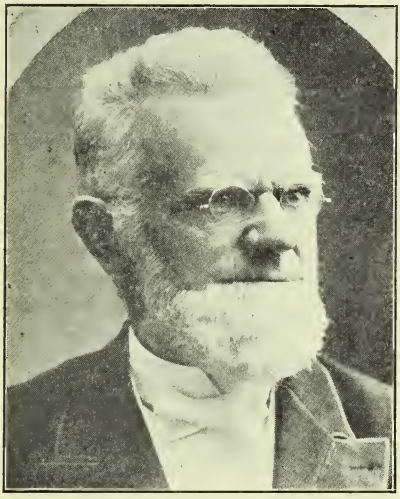
When twenty-five years of age he was providentially led to the United States, and in 1897 entered the ministry of the Wesleyan Methodist Connection of America, remaining there ten years, serving the Millville, Pa., Boylston, N. Y., and Morley, N. Y., charges. During this period Brother Locke took a two years' course of study in Houghton College, Houghton, Allegany county, N. Y. Directed by the Divine Spirit, in 1907, Brother Locke was received in full membership in the Northern New York Conference on his credentials from the Wesleyan Church, and stationed at Oswego Center. In 1909 he graduated from the Conference Course of Study.

His ministry at Oswego Center was a continuous season of spiritual power. He was tireless in his work. Thoughtful and earnest as a preacher, and indefatigable as a pastor. His solicitude for the young people, his sympathy and sweet spirit were such that none in the community could be indifferent to his ministry. His piety and thorough devotion to his work promised great usefulness to the church. But, alas! his career was suddenly closed. After a sickness of a little less than two weeks, of a complication of diseases, followed by blood poisoning, he passed into the realm of spirits. His ministry though brief, enthroned Christ in the hearts of many.

Brother Locke was married to Miss Anna M. Barnum of Madoc, Ontario, June 1, 1898. In the domestic relations of life Brother Locke exhibited all that is inviting and lovely as a husband and father, and on the memory of his lonely widow and only boy, is written the depth of his affection. He is survived by his wife and son Merle, three brothers and five sisters.

The funeral services took place from the Methodist Episcopal Church, Oswego Center, Sunday, December 26, 1909, at 2:30 p. m. The District Superintendent, Rev. A. C. Loucks, Ph. D.; Rev. D. C. Johnson, Rev E. H. Joy, and Rev. C. F. Miller officiating. His body was taken to Inkerman, Ontario, his old home, for interment, while we look upward and forward to where he is T. B. SHEPHERD.

WICKS SMITH TITUS



This tribute is to commemorate a brother who has left our companionship in the ripeness of old age, his work done, and his evening spent in waiting for release.

Wicks S. Titus, a patriarch of the Northern New York Conference, venerable alike for age and piety, was born June 23, 1820, at Victory, N. Y., and died at the Blocher Homes, Williamsville, N. Y., 4:50 a. m., January 22, 1910. He was the third son of Jared and Rebecca Green Titus, and reckoned among his ancestors people of Colonial and Revolutionary days, among them the famous General Nathaniel Green. Brother Titus was reared on a farm, and when seventeen years of age, while teaching a district school, was converted, and joined the Baptist Church in Meridian, N. Y. At nineteen he was licensed to preach, and in the same year began his preparation for college by a two years' course at the Literary and Theological Seminary, Hamilton, N. Y. The following eighteen months he taught in academies in Virginia and Georgia. Returning north he resumed teaching, in 1843, in Fleming, N. Y., and in 1844, in Candor, N. Y., where he supplied at the same time, two Baptist churches. Here Brother Titus joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, March, 1845, and in July of the same year was received on probation in the Oneida Conference, in a class of nine, of which Rev. B. I. Ives, D. D., was a member. He was stationed at Berkshire, N. Y., with Rev. Darius Simonds, preacher in charge. He entered Union College in 1846, graduating in 1848. Brother Titus took his theological course in Union Theological Seminary, New York and graduated in 1850. Resuming the ministry he was admitted into the Troy Conference and soon after was transferred to the New Jersey Conference, serving the Bergen and the New Brunswick charges, 1850-51. In 1852 he returned to teaching, with classes in Greek and Hebrew in Pennington Seminary, N. J. On April 11, 1852, Brother Titus was ordained deacon by Bishop Janes. In 1853 he was transferred to the Black River Conference, of which the Northern New York is the successor, and appointed professor of Natural

Science and Hebrew in the Falley Seminary at Fulton, N. Y. A year in that most important service, and Brother Titus closed his work as an educator.

Upon review, Brother Titus regarded with regret, crowding nine years course of study into six, teaching and preaching at the same time.

Brother Titus began his pastoral work in Northern New York Conference in Ogdensburg in 1854, and was ordained Elder at the session of the Black River Conference in Camden, June 4th of that year by Bishop Morris. His subsequent appointments were Canton; Watertown, State Street; Camden; Weedsport; Mexico; Geddes; Lowville; Wolcott; Hamilton; Vernon; West Winfield; Ames and Sprout Brook; Sprout Brook; Cleveland, N. Y.; Central Square; Deansville; Verona and Remsen. On all these charges Brother Titus left an unquestioned record as a man of spotless reputation, a gentleman of culture, an intense believer in the Christian religion, and an enthusiastic toiler for the welfare of mankind.

At last the affecting moment came when he must pass the work over to younger disciples. In 1890 he retired to superannuation, and for eighteen years resided in Syracuse, N. Y., near the University where he could spend his leisure in special studies. Brother Titus was a student and scholar. Such a life charmed him, though he never sacrificed evangelical unction at the altar of learning.

On October 19, 1908, he became a member of the Blocher Homes, Williamsville, N. Y., which he describes as an ideal home for retired ministers and laymen.

Brother Titus was married December 19, 1853, at Blooming Grove, Orange county, N. Y., to Miss Sarah Elma Newman, daughter of Rev. Thomas Newman, of the New York Conference, who was in every respect well qualified for the high position she was to occupy. To them were born three sons, two of whom died in infancy. Frank W., the remaining son, died in Syracuse, May 31, 1904, in his fiftieth year. Of their two daughters, Elma Margaret married Rev. J. W. Sanborn of the Genesee Conference in 1881, and died in 1886, leaving a son, Paul Titus, whom his grandparents adopted, and who is at present in China in medical service.

After thirty-six years of great usefulness as a pastor's wife, whose hearty and sympathetic co-operation contributed largely to her husband's success, Mrs. Titus died in Syracuse, October 15, 1890. Brother Titus is survived by his daughter, Miss Clara Edith, a teacher in Brooklyn, N. Y., who cherishes the memory of a most devoted father.

While a resident in Syracuse Brother Titus was a frequent attendant on the ministry of Rev. Philip H. Cole, D. D., pastor of the First Reformed Church of that city. Dr. Cole writes of Brother Titus in this generous strain. "Mr. Titus entered with full heartiness into the life of the church. He has given the service of his life—a long and faithful service—to the Methodist Episcopal Church, which he still loves as loyally as ever, and the fact that he found himself so completely at home in the Reformed Church, proved that in him there is a broad Catholicity of the Christian spirit. Mr. Titus was cordially loved by the members of the Reformed Church. No young minister ever had a more appreciative

listener or more encouraging friend than I had in Rev. Mr. Titus. One loves to bear testimony to the strength of his religious faith, his hopeful outlook into the life beyond, his patience and cheerfulness under trial. When he leaves us, we know it will be in the Apostolic spirit, which says, 'I have a desire to depart and be with Christ, which is far better.' In a universe where character makes destiny, we are fully confident that he will find his eternal home with the great and the good."

Brother Titus came to the close of life in a beautiful spirit. He passed into the invisible leaving a record of faithful service. In 1839 he received his license to preach—a license seventy years old, and never revoked. He was never out of sympathy with his times. He hailed every advance movement of the church, and watched with keen interest the current of affairs. He was entirely at home with all theological and philosophical inquiry. Doubts never annoyed him. He had no pessimistic recollections, though he reached nearly his four-score and ten.

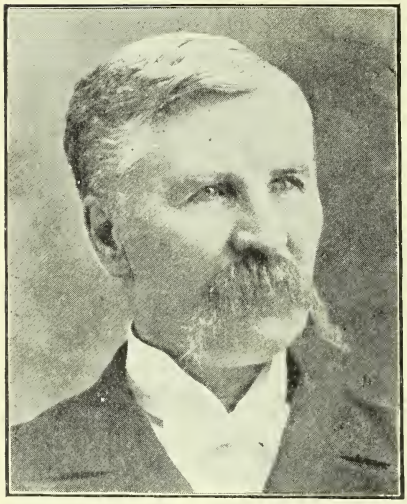
For years he anticipated death with pleasure. "I am," he says, "just a little homesick for heaven." "How delightful to go to sleep as Bishop Ninde did, and wake in heaven." "I am 89, it is time I was in heaven." "I am anxious to get into the palace of the King:"—and he did.

The silver chord broke. Brother Titus has taken his place in the permanent collection of honored ministers whose memory we will cherish with undying affection.

His funeral services were held in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Fulton, N. Y., January 23, 1910. Rev. J. G. Cornwell, Ph. D., pastor of Fulton First Church, Rev. F. A. Miller, pastor of State Street, Rev. Samuel Call, and the writer, conducted the funeral ceremonies. His body lies in Adnah cemetery, Fulton, N. Y., by the side of his kindred, to appear again, invested with lustre, indestructible, and spiritual.

T. B. Shepherd.

ALBERT CALVIN DANFORTH



Jeremiah's terse phrase, "valiant for the truth in the earth," had a vivid illustration in the life of Rev. Albert C. Danforth. His was a Heaven-guided and God-counseled life, whose "afterward —received to glory" has now become experience. In the night before Easter, March 26th, 1910, the soul of the heroic soldier, the tireless minister, the loving husband, father and friend took its flight to celebrate the resurrection of his Lord and ours in glory. Albert C. Danforth was born at Fort Covington, N. Y., March 17, 1848, and received his early education in the old Franklin Academy at Fort Covington. When a boy less than sixteen he was eager to be counted among the defenders of the Union, and on Jan. 1, 1864 enlisted for three years in Company D, Fourteenth New York Heavy Artillery. The records show that he participated with valor in many of the fiercest battles of the war, fighting side by side with his father in seventeen engagements, and attaining to the rank of corporal. He was wounded March 25, 1865, but continued with his regiment until finally mustered out in September, 1865. Till the day of his death he bore about in his body the marks of his country which were the occasion of long hours of untold suffering. Yet in the battle with disease the same heroic qualities were in marked evidence, sustaining him in patient faith until his final discharge for the realm of rest where they shall learn to war no more.

Brother Danforth's first marrage was with Miss Nettie Carpenter, who died in 1874. He was married to Miss Lucy Davenport of Malone, May 11, 1875, who happily shared with him the labors and successes of the larger part of his itinerant ministerial career. Sister Danforth remains, together with two sons, Dr. Guy R. Danforth, and Harley A. Danforth, one grandson, Gerald Danforth, and three brothers in New Hampshire, Charles of Manchester, William of Nashua, and Rev. Leslie R. Danforth of Pennacook, a member of the New Hampshire Conference. During one of his terrific engagements in the Civil War, Brother Danforth made a covenant with the Lord that if permitted to return home he would immediately enlist in the service of Christ for life. With what fidelity he carried out his pledge is well known. Conversion was closely followed by call—a call to special service in the ranks of the Methodist itinerancy. The instinct of Methodist ministry seemed to be peculiarly his. Belonging to a family honored of God and man in the work of this calling he proved himself a worthy member. In addition to the brother in the ministry already mentioned, two uncles, the late Reverends Horace

M. and Stanley F. Danforth were honored members of the Northern New York Conference.

Brother Danforth was licensed to exhort March 26, 1868, at Fort Covington, N. Y., by Rev. Charles Manson. In September of the same year his license to preach was issued signed by Rev. L. L. Palmer, presiding elder. He served Bangor charge as supply for six months in 1869, and Dickinson in 1870. He was admitted on trial to the Black River Conference May 1, 1871, and to full connection April 19, 1873. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Jesse T. Peck June 20, 1872, and elder by Bishop Levi Scott, May 2, 1875. The chronological record of his pastoral work follows: 1871-2, Dickinson; 1873, Bangor; 1874-6, W. Stockholm; 1877-9, Burke; 1880, Rodman; 1881-3, Nicholville; 1884-6, Turin; 1887-91, Copenhagen; 1892-3, supernumerary; 1894, Evans Mills; 1895-9, Clayton, 1900, Mexico; 1901-6, Presiding Elder, Watertown District; 1907-8, Adams; 1909, Field Agent of the Conference Permanent Fund. On the death of Rev. Myron G. Seymour he served several months during the past year by appointment of Bishop McDowell on his old field as Superintendent of the Watertown District. Later, on the departure of Rev. C. E. Hastings, Brother Danforth was appointed to supply the pastorate of the Copenhagen charge until the close of the year. This he did with great acceptability until the higher appointment came. Thus the good soldier of the cross fell fighting bravely in the ranks. He died in all the accoutrements of battle determined to the very last degree to serve out his life tenure for which he enlisted for his King.

His conception of the work of a minister was exceedingly high, and to be constantly engaged reaching forth toward that ideal was his delight. He was intolerant of superficiality, torpidity, or disloyalty. He never swerved from the time honored evangelical ideals of thought, experience and practice. He was especially gifted in prayer, and would often rise to heights sublime in his pulpit petitions, carrying his congregation with him. He had likewise an unusual power in exhortation, and on Camp Meeting occasions would be called upon to follow the sermons of his brethren with his fervid and telling appeals. His preaching was with more than human energy. It was thrilling, awakening, and conscience compelling, and yet with Gospel simplicity and unmistakable clearness. He preached as one who believed and felt all through his intense nature every word of his inspired utterances. He used to say in his report of revival work on his district, "It is a matter of no small congratulation that the Gospel as preached by Methodists, simple and orthodox, has not lost any of its power to save and keep men. A simple, practical, orthodox Gospel produces the same result today that it did in the days of our fathers." And his own preaching was emphatically illustrative of that fact. His dying testimony to the writer was a beautiful corroboration of his convictions. A few hours before he ceased to breathe he said, "Tell the boys (of the ministry) that the old Gospel that we have preached to others holds in the dying hours." What a precious thought to leave with us who remain while he retires from these scenes of activity to his "coronation in the many mansioned house!"

As an administrator and leader of the forces in the churches he served, Brother Danforth was strong, able, fearless, conscientious, and

faithful. He gripped difficult problems with energy, and solved them successfully. As a pastor of unceasing and self-sacrificing devotion and activity, as well as of brilliant and attractive social qualities, he will not be forgotten even to the small child by the people he served. He was overflowing with genial smiles, cheery words and gracious handshakes. He scarcely allowed people to pass him without making them feel better because they had met him. The report that followed him on charges where he labored was that wherever trouble, sorrow or need were to be found, there was A. C. Danforth, with his tender ministry of sympathy, love and help. It is also reported of him that he knew not how to take offense or to harbor resentment. A true and unwavering friend, a heart deep sympathizer highly appreciative of others, and a companion of close and loving confidences has left us all lonely because he has gone. He took great pleasure in a generous but tactful expression of appreciation of merit in others. He withheld not the choice flowers of appreciation from the living, when he was confident that they were deserved. His affection for his brethren was marked and it will not be forgotten.

The memorial service was held from his late home at 618 Boyd St. and at the Arsenal St. Church in charge of District Superintendent Rev. S. W. Brown. Tender words of appreciation and sympathy were spoken by Brother Brown, Rev. B. F. Wood offered a touching prayer, Rev. G. H. Nelson read the Scripture, Rev. Chas. E. Miller paid a very high and tender tribute from the standpoint of his association with Bro. Danforth as a presiding elder and minister, and the writer spoke of him as a pastor, preacher and administrator. His form was laid away, in accord with his special request, by his brethren, in the beautiful Brookside cemetery, the following acting in the capacity of bearers, Reverends J. W. Barrett, W. I. Andrews, W. J. Nesbitt, E. E.Cheeseman, W. J. Hancock and W. G. Atwell.

CHARLES L. PECK.

MRS. KATE CROUSE LOUCKS

Kate Crouse was born in Avoca, N. Y., August 3, 1853. Her father, a physician, settled in Warren, Herkimer county, in the hamlet known as Little Lakes, when she was a child. Here she spent her girlhood and young womanhood. Early in life she was soundly converted, and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church. For a time she taught district school, beginning this important work before she was sixteen years of age. The death of her father, when she was but twelve, impressed her young life, and doubtless had much to do with her rapid advancement in school and the fact of her becoming a teacher at so early a period.

On May 4, 1881, she was married to Albert C. Loucks, now superintendent of Oswego district, Northern New York Conference, who had served the Warren charge the year before. While he was in the Boston Theological Seminary, 1881-1882, she shared with him the advantages of life in Boston and profited by the instruction in the seminary, though she was not enrolled as a student.

For twenty-six years she was a faithful companion, helper of her husband and church worker in the Northern New York Conference. Having denied herself, taken her cross to follow Jesus, she was ready

to go cheerfully wherever the conference might direct. Hoping last spring to be restored, and looking forward to the possibilities of 1910, she gave her husband to understand that if he should be sent to some mission field in the conference, to the weakest charge of all, she would go with joy and do all she could to build up the work and win precious souls. High position and honor had no charm for her. To do some little thing for the Master, to serve or give, even when no one knew about it—this gave her joy.

Her unfailing contentment, devotion and love for others made the home a restful, happy place. Much of Proverbs, 31: 10-31, may without exaggeration be applied to her. While she had no children "to rise up and call her blessed," her husband, conscious of his poverty and great loneliness without her, will forever praise her for her fidelity, loyalty to all that is good, and for her practical, every-day Christian character.

Some time ago she went to Ogdensburg, her home previous to coming to Oswego, and submitted to an operation, from which she rallied, and it was hoped that she was on the way to complete health and strength. But after her return home she gradually failed and, after weeks of suffering, fell asleep in Christ, August 18, 1909.

During those weeks of suffering, her courage and patience never failed. No one heard a word of complaint or murmuring. With composed mind and tranquil spirit she endured the pangs of sickness and the so-called terrors of death. As to the past, there were no apologies to make; as to the future, trusting fully in Jesus, there was nothing to be feared. If this noble, consecrated woman had lived in the days of Paul, they would have called her a saint. By her husband, and very likely by those who knew her best for thirty years, this name will be applied to her. With a mind strong, pure and deeply spiritual, and a life ever consecrated to the service of her Lord, her interest in the various activities of the church continued to the last. She will be greatly missed in Trinity Church, where she held her membership at the time of her death; on the district over which her husband has been superintendent for five years, and on the charges where she has toiled by his side. May the grace and comfort of our Lord abide with our beloved brother and district superintendent in his deep affliction. Kate Crouse Loucks, together with all our sainted dead, is alive forever more. Some sweet day soon—quite soon—almost immediately, we will meet again, and so shall we be "Forever with the Lord."

The funeral services were held from her late residence in Oswego, N. Y., on Friday evening, August 20, at 7:30 o'clock. The services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. D. C. Johnson, assisted by Revs. E. H. Joy, John Richards, S. T. Dibble and T. B. Shepherd. Other ministers from the District were in attendance. Interment was made on Saturday, August 21, at Fort Plain, N. Y. D. C. Johnson.

MRS. CORDELIA B. WHITE

At her home, 810 Madison street, Syracuse, N. Y., January 19th, 1910, out of earthly into heavenly conditions, passed Mrs. Cordelia White, widow of Rev. L. D. White, long an honored member of the Northern New York Conference. Mrs. White was the daughter of Har-

vey and Martha Bond—her girlhood home in the town of Elbridge, N. Y. After her marriage, for more than forty years, she shared the labors and triumphs of her husband on many charges in Northern and Central New York, and when active work for them was over, they made their home in Syracuse, where Brother White died in 1894.

Beautiful beyond expression were the latter days of this rare woman. Happy in the peculiarly devoted care of two daughters, Ella and Loretta, in the home, and held in loving, constant remembrance by two sons, Charles and Frank, in the West, she came peacefully to the end of a long life of more than 88 years. She retained strength of mind and of body until near the end, and when, in the last few months, illness and advanced age were upon her still manifested those beautiful traits that had endeared her to so many.

Severe trial had not been wanting to purify the gold of her character, particularly in the loss of two daughters in early childhood, and of a son, Preston K., a young man of rare gifts and greatly beloved, who was called above just upon his entrance to the ministry. Mrs. White excelled in all the qualities desirable in a pastor's wife, and she was truly a co-worker with her husband wherever he was called to labor. Hers was a most dignified, gracious and winning manner, so that few women in our churches have been more dearly loved or had a larger circle of friends. Her home was always most attractive and hospitable. Her children may well "rise and call her blessed," for theirs is a legacy of beautiful memories.

The funeral service at her home January 20th, was in charge of her pastor, Dr. C. E. Hamilton, assisted by Rev. Samuel Call and Dr. J. B. Foote, and the following day she was laid to rest beside her husband and kindred in Jordan, N. Y.

MRS. CATHERINE S. McDONALD

Mrs. Catherine Seward McDonald was the only daughter of Porter and Martha Bainey Seward. She was born in Maryland, Otsego County, June 7, 1826. On the 3rd of January, 1849, she was married to Rev. William C. McDonald, a well-known Methodist minister of Central and Northern New York Conference, and for thirty-five years she shared with him the labors and privations of the itinerant pastorate.

In 1890 they settled in West Winfield, Herkimer County, where Brother McDonald had served as pastor in 1866. Here, after four years of restful home life Brother McDonald was called to his reward, but she continued her home until failing health in the fall of 1898 compelled her to break up and remove to New York City, and reside with her daughter. There she remained until a year ago when she went to reside with her son at Canton, Ohio.

Her conversion laid the foundation for her holy life. She was remarkable for her intense devotion to Christ and his church, and was able to accomplish much for the Master on the fields where she labored. Being filled with all joy she went about doing good. Sister McDonald was a thorough Christian; happy in experience, symmetrical in character, consistent in profession and loyal to the usages of her church, even

when it meant sacrifice. Her quiet but beautiful Christ-like spirit made the parsonages a centre of attraction.

A faithful wife, a loving mother, her four children rise up and call her blessed. For some time she had been declining in health, and she sank peacefully into the arms of her Saviour. He death occurred at Canton, Ohio, on Thursday, January 20th, at the home of her son. Her children are Mrs. Frank L. Brace, New York; Clifford O., of Canton, Ohio; W. S., Schenectady, N. Y.; Howard A., Detroit, Mich. Her remains will sleep by those of her husband at West Winfield, New York.

WILLIAM H. BURRY.

MRS. SARAH P. JERSEY DANFORTH

Mrs. Sarah P. Jersey Danforth, widow of the late Rev. Horace M. Danforth, was born in Beekmentown, Clinton County, New York, September 16th, 1833, and entered into rest, February 21, 1910, at Holyoke, Massachusetts.

Mrs. Danforth was reared in the Methodist home of religion, refinement and intelligence. June 19, 1889, she was married to Rev. H. M. Danforth, the Presiding Elder of Oswego District, a most charming union. During the remaining three years of Brother Danforth's term on the District, Mrs. Danforth proved herself a beautiful Christian lady. Though of a retiring disposition, her new friends discovered her amiability and loved her.

Upon retiring from District work and resuming the pastorate, the same gentle, patient, hopeful spirit was manifested. At New York Mills, Alexandria Bay and Clayville, Sister Danforth adorned her homes with special grace. She thoroughly believed in Methodism, and her convictions and religious principles were deep and impregnable.

In 1900, Brother Danforth's active ministry came to a close. Among his old friends in Camden, the scene of battle and victory, he repaired to spend the evening of his life. During the five years of superannuation, Sister Danforth's sweet companionship and loving sympathy cheered and strengthened the declining years of her beloved husband.

April 13, 1905, Brother Danforth was translated to his heavenly home. Then followed five years of weary widowhood, but not of darkness and repining. In the home of her kindred, Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Kilburn, in Holyoke, Mass., our dear Sister received every attention that could contribute to comfort and happiness. She found consolation in the Word of God, and in the presence of the Holy Spirit.

On Monday, February 21st, 1910, her sweet, gentle life sank to its quiet eventide, and her loving Saviour gave his beloved sleep, and she was forever with her Lord. Interment was made in Riverside Cemetery, Oswego, New York, where rests the body of her beloved husband. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. H. Joy, assisted by T. B. Shepherd, on Friday, February 25th, 1910, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. S. Thrall.

T. B. SHEPHERD.

MRS. S. ANNA BROWN

Mrs. S. Anna Brown, wife of the Rev. Samuel E. Brown, passed into the realms of the blest and the purified, April 12, 1910.

For a number of years she had not been of robust health, but was able quite generally to be about her usual household duties. On the week preceding her translation she was taken worse and for only two days were there any grave fears that she would not recover. Unconsciousness soon came and the end followed on Tuesday morning at 3.30 o'clock. The two sons with their father were near the bedside while the daughters were hastening home as fast as trains could carry them.

Mrs. Brown was born in Cato, Cayuga County, May 21, 1838. Thus almost 72 years of pilgrimage were alotted her. Her maiden name was DaRatt. Her father and two brothers were in the civil war, one of whom died in Andersonville prison.

On June 7, 1858, she married Samuel E. Brown, a minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and together they walked for 52 years. For forty-one years she shared the hardships and ordeals, the joys and triumphs of the itinerant life. Then broken in health, they retired from the active work and lived for eleven years in Pulaski.

During all these years she was a source of great helpfulness to her husband in his work. Her life was of a retiring character, quiet and unostentatious, of even temperament and full of gentle tenderness to all. She was not one to be demonstrative in public—rather she lived in the home a beautiful life and so ordered well the affairs of her own household. At her departure one could hear from neighbors free expressions regarding her spotless character and Christian trust.

Brother Brown feels the keenness of the separation very much but is comforted with the Gospel he has preached to thousands of others in similar experiences.

With Brother Brown, to sympathize and weep with him, are two sons and three daughters: Prof. S. Reed Brown of Highland Falls, N. Y.; Henry A. Brown, a banker of Cincinnati, O.; Mrs. Henry W. Thornton, Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. C. O. DuBois, Alfred, N. Y., and Mrs. Harry Church, Buffalo.

Funeral services were held in the home at Pulaski, N. Y., on Thursday, April 14, at 3:00 o'clock, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Frederick Maunder and were attended by a large company of friends and neighbors.

Interment was made in the Pulaski cemetery.

FREDERICK MAUNDER

Forms of Bequest

I. Bequest to Trustees of Northern New York Conference.

(1) I give and bequeath to the Trustees of the Northern New York Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, incorporated by the Legislature of the State of New York the sum of (*here insert amount*) to be held in trust and invested by it as a part of *The Preachers' Permanent Fund,* and the income thereof used for the benefit and assistance of the superannuated ministers, and the widows and orphans of such as have died in the itinerant work in said Northern New York Conference, and the receipt of the Treasurer of said Board of Trustees shall be sufficient discharge to my executors for the same.

(2) I give and bequeath to the Trustees of the Northern New York Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, incorporated by the Legislature of the State of New York, the sum of (*here insert amount*) to be held in trust and invested by it as a part of *The Conference Invested Relief Fund,* and the income thereof used for the benefit and assistance of the Conference claimants and the widows and orphans of such ministers as have died in the itinerant work of said Northern New York Conference, and the receipt of the Treasurer of said Board of Trustees shall be sufficient discharge to my executors for the same.

If it be a devise of land, the following form should be observed:

(3) I give and devise to the Trustees of the Northern New York Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, incorporated by the Legislature of the State of New York, the following lands and premises, that is to say: (*here describe property*) to have and to hold the same with the appurtenances to it, its successors and assigns forever and to use the rents, issues and profits therefrom for the benefit and assistance of the superannuated ministers and the widows of such as have died in the itinerant work in said Northern New York Conference, giving to my executors herein named full power and authority to convey the same.

(4) I give and devise to the Trustees of the Northern New York Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, incorporated by the Legislature of the State of New York, the following lands and premises, that is to say (*here describe property*) to have and to hold the same with the appurtenances to it, its successors and assigns forever and to use the rents, issues and profits therefrom for the benefit and assistance of the *Conference claimants* and the widows of such ministers, as have died in the itinerant work in said Northern New York Conference, giving to my executors herein named full power and authority to convey the same.

II. Bequest to the Board of Foreign Missions—I give and bequeath to the Board of Foreign Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church incorporated by the Legislature of the State of New York, the sum of....., and the receipt of the Treasurer thereof shall be a sufficient discharge to my executors for the same.

III. Bequest to the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension—I give and bequeath to the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension of the Methodist Episcopal Church, incorporated by the Legislature of the State of Pennsylvania, the sum of.....

dollars; and the receipt of the Treasurer thereof shall be sufficient discharge to my executors for the same.

In Devises of Real Estate observe the following:

I give and devise to the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension of the Methodist Episcopal Church, incorporated by the Legislature of the State of Pennsylvania, the following land and premises, that is to say.....to have and to hold the same, with the appurtenances, to the said Board, its successors and assigns, forever.

IV. Bequest to the Board of Education—I give and devise to "The Board of Education of the Methodist Episcopal Church," incorporated by the Legislature of the State of New York, the following lands and premises—that is to say: ..... to have and to hold the same, with the appurtenances, to the said Board, its successors and assigns forever.

Bequest money should be appropriately varied.

V. Bequest to the Freedmen's Aid Society—I give and bequeath to The Freedmen's Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, a corporation under the laws of the State of Ohio, the sum of $..... The receipt of the Treasurer shall be sufficient discharge to my executors for the same.

VI. Bequest to Chartered Fund—I give and bequeath unto the Chartered Fund of the Methodist Episcopal Church in the United States of America, a corporation of the State of Pennsylvania, located in Philadelphia, ...dollars.

VII. Bequest to American Bible Society—I give and bequeath to the American Bible Society, formed in New York in the year 1816, and incorporated in the year 1841, the sum of (*here insert amount*), to be applied to the charitable use and purposes of said Society.

VIII. Bequest to Woman's Foreign Missionary Society—I give and bequeath to the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, incorporated by the Legislature of the State of New York, the sum of (*here insert amount*), and the receipt of the treasurer thereof shall be a sufficient discharge of my executors for the same. In case of a devise of real estate: I give and devise to the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, incorporated by the Legislature of the State of New York, all that certain (*here describe the property*), with the appurtenances, in fee simple, for the purposes of said Society.

IX. Bequest to Woman's Home Missionary Society—I give and bequeath to the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, a corporation under the laws of the State of Ohio, the sum of (*here insert amount*), and the receipt of the Treasurer shall be a sufficient discharge to my executors for the same. In case of a devise of real estate: I give and devise to the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church. a corporation under the laws of the State of Ohio, the following lands and premises, that is to say, (*brief description here*), to have and to hold or dispose of the same with the appurtenances, to the said Society, its successors and assigns forever.

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MEMBERSHIP

Members	Assessment
Arthur, Frank E.	$ 6 37
Aylesworth, David W.	10 49
Babcock, Charles E.	7 22
Ball, Wilson F.	8 60
Barnes, Sidney O.	7 22
Bent, Geo. W.	8 60
Best, William T.	5 55
Bramley, Alexander	8 00
Brooks, Charles W.	8 29
Brown, Samuel E.	8 94
Brown, Ulysses E.	6 57
Bury, William H.	5 70
Call, Samuel	8 60
Carley, Silas G	7 47
Caton, N. M.	8 60
Chase, W. Dempster	6 77
Cheeseman, Edwin S.	8 00
Clark, Francis T.	6 37
Clawson, William W.	9 20
Coote, James	5 55
Davy, Leonard L.	7 22
Dewey, Sanger	13 10
Dibble, Stephen T.	5 70
Everett, Edward	8 60
Fairhead, George B.	8 94
Felshaw, Abner J.	5 85
Ferguson, Raymond H.	6 19
Fisk, Samuel M.	10 95
Flint, Robert	8 60
Fretz, Jordan R.	5 70
Goodwin, William C.	7 47
Grant, Leroy	7 47
Greenfield, Samuel J.	6 37
Griffiths, Frederick	$ 8 00
Hall, Julius E.	6 37
Hall, William H.	6 19
Hammond, Jonathan B.	7 47
Hand, Alonzo	6 57
Harkness, Joseph	7 22
Harries, Alfred	9 29
Haven, Clarence V.	6 77
Haven, Willis A.	7 73
Helms, William R.	7 47
Holbrook, William M.	7 73
Holmes, Harvey L.	5 55
Holmes, Howard D.	5 85
Humphrey, James L.	10 05
Jenkins, Isaac	7 47
Jones, Richard E.	6 19
Joy, Eugene H.	6 01
Kelley, Orson M.	7 47
Lewis, Daniel M.	6 99
Lewis, Fred H.	7 47
Lobb, Joseph	10 49
Maunder, Frederick	6 37
Merritt, George	8 00
Miller, Charles A.	6 19
Miller, Charles E.	6 77
Palmer, Albert P.	10 95
Pierce, David F.	6 57
Purington, Wm. F.	6 57
Reese, Wm. H.	8 60
Severance, Frank B.	8 94
Sharpe, George	5 55
Shepard, Edmund L.	6 57
Shepherd, George F.	5 28

Members	Assessment
Shepherd, Thomas B.	$ 8 60
Short, John L.	6 99
Short, Samuel	7 73
Smith, Richard J.	5 85
Stallwood, Jabez	6 57
Stanford, Francis B.	5 28
Stanton, James	10 06
Sullivan, William A.	7 73
Thomas, James M.	7 22
Townsend, Charles C.	6 77
Tuttle, Elliott A.	8 60
VanDusen, Wilmot W.	6 77
VanValkenburg, Isaac B.	8 00
Warren, Adelbert	$ 7 47
Waugh, H. Eugene	6 01
Webster, Anson D.	12 50
Webster, Melville R.	6 57
Weed, Truman	9 29
Well, Theophilus	6 37
Whipple, Robert F.	7 73
Williams, William	5 00
Wilmshurst, Walter G.	5 85
Wood, B. F.	8 60
Wood, George W.	10 06
Wright, Isaac E.	6 77

RATES OF ASSESSMENT

AGE	RATE	AGE	RATE	AGE	RATE
24	$5 00	37	$ 7 47	50	$12 50
25	5 28	38	7 73	51	13 10
26	5 41	39	8 00	52	13 72
27	5 55	40	8 29	53	14 39
28	5 70	41	8 60	54	15 11
29	5 85	42	8 94	55	15 88
30	6 01	43	9 29	56	16 70
31	6 19	44	9 66	57	17 57
32	6 37	45	10 06	58	18 50
33	6 57	46	10 49	59	19 50
34	6 77	47	10 95	60	20 57
35	6 99	48	11 43		
36	7 22	49	11 95		

A-B-C of the Board of Conference Claimants

ADMINISTRATIVE — Receives, invests, and distributes Moneys for the Benefit of the Old Preacher, the Widow, and Orphan.

BENEVOLENT—Looks especially after "Necessitous Cases" and the Weaker and Frontier Conferences.

CONNECTIONAL — That is, General, By and For the Whole Methodist Episcopal Church.

The Benevolent Connectional Board of Conference Claimants provides for:

The Aged, Infirm and Sick; Superannuated Preachers on the Frontier and in weak Conferences, whose salaries were always pitiably small and whose conferences are poor; Widows and Children of deceased preachers.

The Board Connectional and Benevolent: Its appeal is as distinct as its purpose, and it is entitled to its own *separate representation* by the pastors and contributions from the people. The apportionment for the **Connectional Fund** is an amount for each Church equal to one per cent. of the pastor's salary.

The Board receives money in behalf of Old Preachers, either for the *"Permanent Fund" (an invested permanent endowment)* or for *"Connectional Fund," which consists of all other moneys.* From the Connectional Fund an annual dividend is paid to all necessitous cases, particular regard being paid to the weaker conferences.

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HERKIMER DISTRICT.

W. H. MacCLENTHEN, Superintendent.

STATISTICS NO. 1.

No. of Charge	CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			Epworth Leagues			CHURCH PROPERTY							
		No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Church Property	Present Indebtedness on Church Property
1	Brookfield & N. Brookfield	6	127	..	2	4	...	2	22	117	..	....	1	14	2	3700	1	1000	59	.....	.....
2	Clayville & Frankfort Hill	7	70	..	1	1	...	2	20	93	1	17	..	...	2	7000	1	600	230	.....	.....
3	Cherry Valley	6	139	1	5	2	1	1	17	165	1	47	1	22	1	6500	1	2500	905	.....	100
4	Cold Brook and Russia	4	90	..	1	...	11	1½	10	120	..	...	..	...	2½	4500	1	3000	100	250	50
5	Deansboro	2	112	..	2	2	...	1	16	171	1	35	1	16	1	5500	1	1500	10	.....	.....
6	Dolgeville	20	308	..	2	5	...	1	20	187	1	60	1	60	1	13000	1	3000	1100	.....	.....
7	Earlville	23	120	..	2	4	13	1	18	200	1	33	1	55	1	8500	1	2000	125	.....	.....
8	East Hamilton	6	106	..	..	...	1	2	25	118	2	55	..	...	2	7000	1	3000	85	.....	.....
9	East Springfield	...	36	..	2	...	...	2	8	45	1	15	..	.	2	5000	2	1200	125	...	.....
10	Frankfort	3	285	..	7	3	5	1	31	331	1	75	..	...	1	7800	1	4000	245	250	700
11	Hamilton	12	123	..	1	...	11	1	22	162	1	36	1	...	1	15000	1	3500	200	1201	2800
12	Herkimer	16	465	1	1	21	2	1	32	399	1	76	1	52	1	34000	1	5000	280	.....	4400
13	Ilion	51	554	1	4	14	...	1	53	606	1	117	..	...	1	40000	1	5000	317	.....	.....
14	Jordanville & S. Columbia	...	98	..	2	1	...	2	24	117	1	16	..	...	2	6000	1	3000	150	.....	1600
15	Knoxboro	...	102	..	...	6	...	2	20	150	1	30	..	...	1	7000	1	2000	.....	.....	.....
16	Lasellsville & Oppenheim	10	89	1	2	6	2	2	22	100	1	19	..	...	2	4900	1	1500	380	.....	.....
17	Leonardsville	1	48	..	...	...	...	1	10	75	..	...	..	...	1	2500	1	2000	570	.....	.....
18	Little Falls	28	600	..	10	22	11	1	58	543	1	162	..	...	1	31500	1	5500	532	500	2000
19	Madison and Bouckville	40	150	..	2	6	4	2	28	180	1	36	1	29	2	10000	1	2000	300	.....	.....
20	Middleville and Fairfield	2	75	..	1	4	10	2	18	60	2	35	..	...	2	5500	1	2500	.....	.....	300
21	Mohawk	32	229	..	1	...	2	1	32	279	1	51	..	...	1	13000	1	3000	3200	.....	200
22	Newport and Poland	11	42	..	2	...	5	1	6	50	..	...	..	...	2	6000	1	3000	120	.....	.....
23	Norway and Gray	1	68	..	2	...	...	2	15	34	..	...	..	...	2	3000	1	600	109	.....	.....
24	Ohio	15	58	..	1	8	9	1	7	300	..	...	..	...	2½	2500	1	800	.....	.....	.....
25	Oriskany Falls	11	123	..	...	...	...	1	16	175	1	30	1	35	1	7500	1	1400	50	200	500
26	Prospect and Hinckley	...	85	1	...	...	2	2	21	85	..	..	1	15	2	9000	1	2000	100	...	832
27	Remsen and Ninety-Six	8	146	..	1	5	7	1	31	165	1	40	1	38	2	7500	1	1700	200	.....	.....
28	Richfield Springs	12	93	..	1	4	1	1	18	110	1	25	..	...	2	16000	1	3000	310	.....	1050
29	Salisbury Cent. & Stratford	2	139	..	...	...	...	3	26	181	..	...	1	26	3	6500	1	1000	.....	.....	.....
30	St. Johnsville	8	158	..	2	6	1	1	17	127	1	50	1	46	1	6000	1	4000	97	.....	40
31	Sauquoit and Clayville	23	123	..	...	5	11	2	30	237	2	45	1	20	2	13000	1	1200	200	1416	184
32	Starkv'le & VanHornsv'le	11	58	..	...	4	...	2	16	58	..	...	..	...	2	4500	1	1000	75	.....	.....
33	Vernon	...	99	1	1	1	9	1	16	140	..	....	1	20	1	10000	1	2000	150	.....	65
34	Vernon Center	1	116	1	3	...	...	2	17	75	1	34	..	...	2	6500	1	1200	48	.....	.....
35	Waterville	13	112	..	2	5	...	1	18	150	1	20	1	30	1	12000	1	3000	80	.....	900
36	W. Frankfort & W Schuyler	15	75	2	1	2	5	2	27	147	..	...	..	...	2	8000	1	2000	95	.....	.....
37	West Winfield	10	161	..	4	...	...	1	14	126	1	47	1	17	1	6000	1	2500	400	.....	.....
	Totals	410	5570	9	58	143	123	54½	699	6378	29	1206	17	505	59	363100	38	98400	10947	3817	15721

Pastoral Charges, 37.

HERKIMER DISTRICT

W. H. MacCLENTHEN, Superintendent.

STATISTICS NO. 2.

No. of Charge	PASTORS	SUNDAY SCHOOLS											MISCELLANEOUS					
		No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars of all Grades	Average Attendance of all Grades	No. of Members in the Home Department	No. of Children on the Cradle Roll	Total Enrollment in all Departments	No. of Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers	No. of Scholars, Whether Attendants or Members in Home Dept. who are Church Members or Probationers	No. of Members of Sunday School Converted during the year	Current Expenses, Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Perm'nt Fund		Relief Fund		General Conference Expenses	Central Office Expenses of Epworth League
													Church	Pastor	Church	Pastor		
1	R. W. Putnam	2	22	117	43	---	---	117	13	74	4	47	---	---	---	---	---	---
2	Harry T. Zeiders	2	20	93	50	---	---	82	20	45	2	20	---	---	---	---	---	---
3	H. L. Campbell	1	17	134	59	---	31	165	16	70	---	36	---	7	---	---	4	3
4	B. S. Swartz	1½	10	120	70	---	---	110	7	---	7	36	---	---	---	---	2	---
5	C. J. Oleson	1	16	128	62	13	30	171	14	60	4	43	---	---	---	---	2	4
6	W. G. Wilmshurst	1	20	158	118	---	29	187	20	104	17	90	---	---	---	---	5	3
7	W. A. Haven	1	18	162	85	14	24	182	17	85	22	55	---	---	---	---	---	---
8	H. B. Fritts	2	25	105	65	---	13	118	20	79	---	75	---	---	---	---	4	3
9	Charles S. Dopp	2	8	45	27	---	---	45	4	10	---	6	---	---	---	---	---	---
10	W. M. Caldwell	1	31	283	145	23	25	300	30	130	---	145	---	---	---	---	6	4
11	Frank Beale	1	22	140	85	---	22	162	22	75	7	80	---	---	---	---	---	---
12	S. D. Robinson	1	32	339	189	20	40	399	32	180	11	110	---	---	---	---	9	5
13	S. J. Greenfield	1	53	436	221	70	100	553	53	320	32	139	---	---	---	---	13	2
14	J. C. Culligan	2	24	87	68	10	20	117	19	42	---	35	---	---	---	---	---	---
15	Henry Ernst	2	20	144	80	---	6	130	20	60	---	20	---	---	15	---	2	1
16	B. L. Nichols	2	22	100	60	---	---	122	22	40	---	34	---	---	---	---	2	1
17	L. B. Gray	1	10	65	35	10	---	75	8	30	1	30	---	---	---	---	---	---
18	W. D. Marsh	1	58	427	251	61	55	543	35	275	10	366	---	---	---	---	---	---
19	A. F. Pennock	2	29	156	90	---	25	151	25	110	28	70	---	---	---	---	4	1
20	J. M. Thomas	2	18	60	40	---	---	---	14	---	---	30	---	---	---	---	1	2
21	C. M. Gearhart	1	32	202	125	42	35	279	32	127	30	120	---	---	---	---	---	3
22	H. P. Fox	1	6	50	35	---	---	44	15	4	4	25	---	---	---	---	2	---
23	C. A. Robinson	2	15	34	16	---	---	34	11	---	1	11	---	---	---	1	2	1
24	George Merritt	1	7	50	30	170	80	300	5	35	---	25	---	---	---	---	---	---
25	L. A. Griggs	1	16	150	80	25	---	159	16	75	---	120	---	---	---	---	3	1
26	O. E. Raymond	2	21	85	65	---	---	---	20	50	---	40	---	---	---	---	---	---
27	Wm. Thomas	1	31	165	70	---	---	165	31	100	12	60	---	---	---	2	---	---
28	R. H. Ferguson	1	18	110	50	30	10	110	18	80	6	31	---	---	---	---	2	---
29	G. W. Craig	3	26	137	80	---	---	137	17	70	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
30	F. E. Arthur	1	17	127	62	---	---	127	12	57	4	46	---	---	---	---	3	3
31	J. R. Fretz	2	30	200	150	14	25	239	30	110	17	60	---	---	---	---	3	3
32	W. A. Gardner	2	16	58	40	---	---	58	9	12	---	20	---	---	---	---	2	---
33	J. W. Laird	1	16	90	46	30	20	124	14	15	8	30	---	---	15	---	---	---
34	W. A. Sullivan	2	17	75	43	---	---	75	15	25	---	30	---	---	---	---	---	---
35	A. P. Palmer	1	18	133	75	---	17	150	16	65	---	87	---	3	---	---	3	2
36	Arthur Schloop	2	27	100	46	22	25	147	20	44	8	38	---	---	---	---	2	---
37	W. D. Waller	1	14	119	80	13	9	135	14	27	5	82	---	---	---	---	2	---
	Totals	54½	702	5184	2996	567	641	5972	706	2685	240	2292		10	30	3	78	42

Pastoral Charges, 37.

HERKIMER DISTRICT.

W. H. MacCLENTHEN, Superintendent

STATISTICS NO. 3.

No. of Charge	CHARGES	PASTOR'S SUPPORT					Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Sup'r'end'ts		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES				
		Salary Allowed	Salary Paid	House Rent	Total	Deficiencies	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church: Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc.	Sunday Schools: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Pastors' Moving and Traveling Expenses.	Pastors' Donations	Total Insurance on Church Property
1	Brookfield and N. Brookfield	650	650	50	700	...	14	4	40	37	7	5	746	79	47	...	65	3700
2	Clayville and Frankfort Hill	700	700	100	800	...	7	7	40	40	5	5	852	79	20	...	20	3000
3	Cherry Valley	800	800	200	1000	...	27	27	57	57	10	10	1094	230	36	34	...	5400
4	Cold Brook and Russia	650	650	150	800	...	16	16	39	39	8	8	863	75	36	...	7	4550
5	Deansboro	600	600	100	700	...	22	23	40	40	8	8	771	123	43	...	...	4500
6	Dolgeville	1000	1000	200	1200	...	39	39	75	75	16	16	1330	308	90	...	...	8800
7	Earlville	1000	1000	150	1150	...	25	25	48	48	10	10	1233	256	55	50	...	5600
8	East Hamilton	750	750	150	900	...	32	32	57	57	9	9	998	190	75	23	...	6450
9	East Springfield	525	443	50	493	82	6	6	31	26	5	4	529	30	6	...	...	600
10	Frankfort	1200	1200	250	1450	...	77	77	90	90	16	16	1633	340	145	...	...	15500
11	Hamilton	1000	1000	200	1200	...	25	25	48	48	11	11	1284	250	80	20	...	8800
12	Herkimer	1500	1500	400	1900	...	94	94	140	140	25	25	2159	1351	110	65	...	22400
13	Ilion	1500	1500	400	1900	...	157	157	150	150	30	30	2237	1264	139	...	100	20500
14	Jordonville and S. Columbia	700	700	100	800	...	17	10	47	47	9	6	863	90	35	28	...	7000
15	Knoxboro	600	600	100	700	...	15	15	42	42	7	7	757	140	20	...	...	3700
16	Lasellsville and Oppenheim	550	550	50	600	...	7	7	30	30	6	6	643	78	34	...	...	3200
17	Leonardsville	600	600	100	700	...	8	8	32	32	6	6	746	75	30	...	...	2500
18	Little Falls	1500	1500	300	1800	...	134	134	145	145	30	30	2109	1427	366	...	...	19000
19	Madison and Bouckville	1000	1000	100	1100	...	35	35	63	63	11	11	1209	120	70	14	...	9500
20	Middleville and Fairfield	600	§650	120	770	..	14	14	42	42	7	7	833	144	30	...	50	5300
21	Mohawk	900	900	250	1150	..	38	38	60	60	12	12	1260	380	120	22	...	8000
22	Newport and Poland	650	650	120	770	...	11	11	36	36	6	6	812	65	25	...	...	3000
23	Norway and Gray	.....	*312	21	333	...	6	6	33	33	5	5	377	10	11	...	...	2400
24	Ohio	600	600	60	660	...	11	8	33	33	6	4	705	40	25	...	...	2300
25	Oriskany Falls	700	700	100	800	...	31	31	45	45	9	9	885	250	120	...	50	6800
26	Prospect and Hinckley	750	750	100	850	...	20	20	42	42	8	8	920	125	40	20	...	8250
27	Remsen and Ninety-Six	800	800	100	900	...	24	20	52	52	9	9	981	153	60	50	...	5500
28	RichfieldSprings	725	715	120	835	10	28	28	45	45	8	8	916	160	31	...	.	4500
29	SalisburyCenter—Stratford	650	650	50	700	...	15	15	38	38	8	8	716	95	30	...	...	2600
30	St. Johnsville	950	950	200	1150	...	25	26	56	56	11	11	1243	257	46	30	25	6000
31	Sauquoit and Clayville	925	925	100	1025	...	31	31	53	53	10	10	1119	218	60	...	...	10400
32	Starkville—Van Hornsville	570	570	50	620	...	11	11	32	32	6	6	669	30	20	...	...	3500
33	Vernon	900	†900	125	1025	...	15	15	36	36	7	7	1083	175	30	...	...	7300
34	Vernon Center	625	625	75	700	...	14	14	38	38	8	8	760	115	30	...	85	4600
35	Waterville	1000	1000	200	1200	...	25	25	60	60	10	10	1295	475	125	...	...	11500
36	W. Frankfort—W. Schuyler	500	500	100	600	...	13	13	35	35	6	6	654	100	68	...	...	3075
37	West Winfield	700	700	150	850	...	20	20	49	49	12	12	931	280	82	20	180	6000
	Totals	29370	29640	5191	34831	92	1100	1087	1999	1991	377	369	38215	9574	2400	378	582	255725

Pastoral Charges, 37. §$50 As Chaplain of County House. *For seven months. †$150 from Hecla

HERKIMER DISTRICT.

W. H. MacCLENTHEN, Superintendent.

JOSEPH W. BARRETT, Treasurer, Carthage, N.Y.

STATISTICS NO. 4.

No. of Charge.	PASTORS.	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS																					
		Missions						Board of Education		Board of Sunday Schools		Board of Confer'ce Claimants					W. H. M. S.						
		Foreign Missions			Home Missions and Church Extension																		
		Church	Sunday Schools	Special Gifts	Church	Sunday Schools	Special Gifts	Church, General Education	Children's Fund	Church	Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedmen's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Cash	Supplies	Other Benevolent Collections	Local Educational Interests	M. E. Hospital	Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension
1	R. W. Putnam	9	5	----	7	5	----	---	7	---	---	---	---	---	---	25	----	---	--	-	--	----
2	H. T. Zeiders	---	5	----	---	5	----	--	7	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
3	H. L. Campbell	76	9	----	76	9	----	---	7	4	2	---	---	5	5	29	----	---	9	10	---	18
4	B. S Swartz	48	12	----	48	12	----	---	14	9	---	3	3	12	2	6	----	---	15	5	2	20
5	C. J. Oleson	50	15	18	52	15	----	---	10	---	15	---	---	15	1	57	25	5	11	1	7	12
6	W G. Wilmshurst	59	38	----	49	37	----	---	12	---	5	---	---	5	2	43	----	---	105	5	---	12
7	W A. Haven	50	17	*1000	26	16	----	---	10	---	2	---	---	5	1	21	----	---	---	5	2	---
8	H. B. Fritts	98	17	----	83	17	----	5	8	8	1	3	---	20	6	152	37	---	---	18	---	17
9	Charles S. Dopp	7	3	----	7	3	----	---	14	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	1	---	4
10	W. M. Caldwell	112	88	40	112	88	----	---	22	---	9	---	5	30	1	40	193	---	116	---	---	---
11	Frank Beale	20	20	----	20	20	----	1	5	1	1	---	---	3	1	18	17	--	---	---	---	11
12	S. D. Robinson	110	50	----	110	50	----	---	20	5	5	---	---	12	8	170	120	---	3	12	15	39
13	S J. Greenneld	325	100	----	225	100	----	18	20	30	--	---	---	50	20	210	182	34	337	35	10	†70
14	J. C. Culligan	28	7	----	3	7	----	---	9	---	---	---	---	2	---	6	9	23	---	---	1	---
15	Henry Ernst	20	6	----	2	5	----	---	8	1	---	---	---	5	1	----	7	15	---	---	1	3
16	B. L. Nichols	15	5	----	15	5	----	---	5	---	---	---	---	5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	4
17	L. B. Gray	8	4	----	8	4	----	---	2	---	1	1	2	3	1	5	---	---	---	---	---	1
18	W D Marsh	277	100	99	200	100	----	16	20	15	---	5	---	30	10	204	142	5	205	7	10	60
19	A. F. Pennock	70	15	----	60	15	----	---	12	1	1	---	---	18	2	58	54	---	15	4	---	41
20	J. M. Thomas	34	4	----	31	4	----	2	5	2	---	1	---	3	1	31	----	---	---	3	4	5
21	C. M. Gearhart	60	40	----	60	40	----	---	12	---	5	---	---	15	3	60	162	59	14	---	---	15
22	H. P. Fox	12	6	----	12	6	----	1	---	3	---	---	---	2	---	----	---	---	15	---	---	7
23	C. A. Robinson	17	---	----	14	---	----	1	---	2	2	---	---	2	---	8	---	---	---	---	---	2
24	George Merritt	10	---	----	10	---	----	---	4	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
25	L. A. Griggs	47	39	----	46	39	----	---	16	13	---	---	---	18	---	50	35	---	---	---	---	19
26	O. E. Raymond	12	12	----	12	12	----	---	10	---	---	---	---	1	15	----	55	---	27	---	1	1
27	Wm. Thomas	25	19	----	25	19	----	---	10	1	---	---	---	10	---	---	16	---	---	---	---	12
28	R. H. Furguson	60	12	10	38	13	13	---	3	---	3	---	---	10	---	5	----	---	20	3	---	20
29	G. W. Craig	13	6	----	10	5	----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	95	---	---	---	---	---	---
30	F. E. Arthur	73	13	----	67	14	----	4	4	11	2	---	---	21	5	45	----	---	2	1	4	14
31	J. R. Fretz	68	22	120	68	22	----	---	8	5	8	10	---	18	---	26	30	17	---	---	---	15
32	W. A. Gardner	18	2	----	18	2	----	---	8	3	---	---	---	4	---	4	---	---	---	1	1	6
33	J. W. Laird	10	10	----	10	10	----	---	5	3	---	---	---	5	1	52	---	---	10	---	---	5
34	W. A. Sullivan	18	6	----	15	6	----	---	9	2	1	---	---	6	1	13	---	---	---	---	---	3
35	A. P. Palmer	58	32	----	58	32	----	---	15	5	10	7	---	121	8	139	13	---	---	15	---	25
36	Arthur Schloop	37	14	----	37	14	----	2	---	---	2	---	---	9	4	12	40	---	---	4	2	7
37	W. D. Waller	75	10	----	70	10	----	3	11	10	---	---	---	13	11	61	42	10	---	---	3	11
	Totals	2029	763	1287	1704	761	13	53	332	134	75	30	10	430	110	1645	1179	168	904	130	63	478

astoral Charges, 37. *Mrs. John Dowell to Dr. Humphrey's school in Naina Tal, India. †$25 for Italian Church Building Fund.

OSWEGO DISTRICT

A. C. LOUCKS, Superintendent.

STATISTICS NO. 1.

No. of Charge	CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			Epworth Leagues				CHURCH PROPERTY							
		No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Church Property	Present Indebtedness on Church Property
1	Adams	23	299	..	...	14	2	1	34	280	1	80	1	50	1	11000	1	5000	75	.....	.....
2	Altmar and Pineville	3	66	1	1	...	5	2	24	85	..	.....	..	...	2	5700	..	..	177	25	150
3	Amboy Center	10	95	..	...	...	23	1	36	148	1	20	..	...	2	3500	1	800	48	.....	.....
4	Belleville	9	87	..	6	...	...	1	14	115	1	25	1	15	1	7000	1	1800	250	.....	29
5	Camden	19	503	..	7	...	...	1	36	558	1	120	1	80	1	12000	1	4500	.....	150	.....
6	Central Square	...	100	..	3	...	...	2	27	160	1	24	..	...	2	4900	1	1800	760	.....	600
7	Cleveland	3	150	...	5	6	3	2	32	115	1	40	..	...	1	10000	1	1200	47	196	1461
8	Constantia—W. Monroe	12	117	..	2	2	...	2	16	195	1	52	1	36	2	10000	1	800	40	.....	.....
9	Ellisburg	5	35	..	1	10	...	1	12	50	1	24	1	14	1	2200	1	1200	125	100	....
10	Fernwood	8	119	1	3	...	2	2	20	106	2	40	..	...	2	5500	1	1000	172	.....	103
11	Florence	5	51		...	...	...	2	11	31	..	.....	..	...	2	2200	1	1000	.....	.....	.....
12	Fulton, First Church	25	632	..	10	14	3	1	56	719	1	100	1	75	1	50000	1	9000	.....	500	5000
13	Fulton, State Street	7	284	..	3	5	3	1	14	250	1	40	1	50	1	25000	1	3500	430	.....	4000
14	Hannibal	10	210	..	2	...	9	2	27	170	2	44	..	...	2	11000	1	1800	300	.....	.....
15	Henderson	14	59	..	1	...	1	1	13	90	1	15	1	32	2	4700	2	1800	435	.....	.....
16	Lansing	1	15	..	1	...	1	1	8	40	..	.....	..	...	1	3000	..	.....	50	.....	.....
17	Lorraine	...	94	..	5	...	...	2	20	90	..	..	2	28	2	4100	1	600	114	.....	.....
18	Mannsville	5	131	..	3	...	...	2	24	140	1	40	1	20	1	3500	1	1200	10	.....	.....
19	McConnellsville—Vienna	4	117	1	...	...	...	2	14	72	1	30	..	...	2	7800	1	750	300	.....	.....
20	Mexico	24	323	..	7	4	13	1	30	424	1	65	..	...	1	10000	1	1500	260	.....	.....
21	Minetto	20	125	..	2	13	...	1	23	170	1	40	..	...	1	8000	1	1500	525	.....	60
22	Mt. Pleasant	6	167	..	2	...	2	3	31	294	1	40	..	...	2	5000	1	800	60	.....	60
23	New Haven	10	131	..	...	...	1	1	25	181	1	25	1	30	1	6000	1	750	30	.....	.....
24	North Bay and Sylvan	3	56	1	1	...	...	2	19	80	1	29	..	...	1	5000	1	2000	165	.....	.....
25	North Mexico	19	68	..	2	...	...	2	18	94	1	32	1	12	2	3000	..	.....	50	.....	.....
26	Orwell and Richland	...	130		5	...	1	1½	19	272	..	.....	..	...	1½	4800	1	1500	75	200	.....
27	Oswego Center	9	164	..	6	9	6	3	24	180	1	51	..	...	3	7000	1	900	188	.....	.....
28	Oswego, First Church	16	432	2	3	12	14	1	39	463	1	108	..	...	1	45000	1	4500	150	1364	1979
29	Oswego, Trinity	9	294	..	7	6	2	1	22	338	1	20	1	75	1	50000	1	3500	110	800	10000
30	Parish	5	139	1	1	...	...	1½	26	197	1	36	..	...	1	7550	1	1500	107	130	200
31	Pennellville and Peats	20	47	..	...	2	24	2	19	105	..	.....	..	...	2	3500	1	1500	180	40	.....
32	Pulaski	6	353	..	4	5	2	1	28	413	1	55	1	30	1	12000	1	1200	25	.....	.....
33	Redfield	...	61	..	2	...	3	2	15	115	..	.....	..	...	1	5000	1	700	.....	.....	.....
34	Sandy Creek	20	322	..	7	2	18	1	25	312	1	74	1	22	1	20000	1	2500	512	.....	.....
35	Scriba	8	25	..	1	...	...	1	10	60	..	.....	..	...	1	3000	1	800	200	.....	.....
36	South Hannibal	3	32	..	...	...	...	2	15	.....	..	.....	..	...	2	2700	1	300	.....	.....	.....
37	Vermillion	6	74	..	...	...	...	2	21	100	1	18	..	...	3	4000	1	800	29	.....	.....
38	Westdale	...	43	..	...	...	1	1	13	46	1	13	..	...	1	4000	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
39	West Sandy Creek	3	58	..	2	1	...	2	16	60	1	12	..	...	2	4500	1	1000	100	.....	.....
40	Williamstown and Ricard	1	43	1	...	...	...	2	18	60	..	.....	..	...	2	4800	1	1400	25	.....	.....
	Totals	351	6251	8	105	105	139	63	894	7378	32	1312	16	569	60½	397950	37	66400	6124	3505	23642

Pastoral Charges, 40.

OSWEGO DISTRICT

A. C. LOUCKS, Superintendent.

STATISTICS NO. 2.

PASTORS	SUNDAY SCHOOLS											MISCELLANEOUS					
												Perm'nt Fund		Relief Fund			
	No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars of all Grades	Average Attendance of all Grades	No. of Members in the Home Department	No. of Children on the Cradle Roll	Total Enrollment in all Departments	No. of Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers	No. of Scholars, Whether Attendants or Members in Home Dept. who are Church Members or Probationers	No. of Members of Sunday School Converted during the year	Current Expenses, Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Church	Pastor	Church	Pastor	General Conference Expenses	Central Office Expenses of Epworth League
S. S. Davis	1	34	200	140	37	45	280	34	140	----	275	---	---	---	---	---	---
S. L. Kennedy	2	24	85	60	----	----	85	15	24	----	36	---	---	---	---	---	---
J. J. Johnston	1	11	45	29	----	----	----	12	----	13	19	---	---	---	---	---	---
R. K. Sheffield	1	14	75	45	----	40	115	10	50	----	40	---	---	---	---	---	1
F. L. Knapp	1	36	375	200	115	68	558	35	400	----	135	---	---	---	---	8	1
C. N. Thomas	2	27	160	65	----	----	168	27	70	----	30	---	---	---	---	---	1
M. E. Duesler	2	32	115	73	----	----	115	32	3	3	45	---	---	---	---	---	2
F. C. Schorge	2	16	145	80	18	30	193	15	----	----	55	---	---	---	---	2	2
D. R. Smith	1	12	50	40	----	----	----	6	2	2	25	---	---	---	---	---	1
P. O. Wilcox	2	20	106	65	----	----	106	18	60	1	41	---	---	10	8	---	2
M. S. Scriber	2	11	31	22	----	----	----	10	12	----	7	---	---	---	---	---	---
J. G. Cornwell	1	56	715	400	----	60	719	56	350	20	275	---	---	---	---	10	6
F. A. Miller	1	14	250	159	----	----	250	14	170	3	93	---	---	---	---	---	3
Henry Hughes	2	27	156	90	----	14	120	23	----	8	50	---	---	---	---	5	1
J. A. Sypher	1	13	60	38	15	20	77	----	13	----	5	---	---	---	---	---	---
L. L. Davy	1	8	40	30	----	----	40	4	10	1	30	---	---	---	---	---	---
R. E. Jones	2	20	90	50	----	----	----	18	----	----	18	---	---	---	---	---	---
C. V. Haven	2	24	140	70	----	----	140	15	----	5	43	---	3	---	---	---	2
H. J. Carey	2	14	72	45	----	----	72	14	37	----	25	---	---	---	---	1	2
G. F. Shepherd	1	30	340	181	38	46	424	30	280	10	170	---	5	---	---	---	2
C. F. Miller	1	23	140	85	----	30	147	23	----	10	100	---	---	---	---	---	2
W. H. Summers	3	31	190	120	104	----	264	30	135	----	60	---	---	---	---	---	2
F. N. Churchill	1	25	159	66	----	32	181	17	60	----	40	---	---	---	---	---	1
J. W. Wilson	2	19	80	45	----	----	80	12	25	----	15	---	---	---	---	3	2
S. B. Owens	2	18	94	35	----	----	94	18	50	----	30	---	---	---	---	---	---
Alonzo Hand	1½	19	272	150	----	----	253	19	65	40	100	---	1	---	1	---	---
A. W. Locke*	3	24	180	100	----	24	150	----	----	15	72	---	---	---	---	3	3
E. H. Joy	1	39	386	225	60	17	386	39	230	----	135	---	---	---	---	---	1
D. C. Johnson	1	22	275	161	50	13	338	22	240	2	115	---	---	---	---	---	2
A. E. Moody	1½	26	185	105	----	12	197	24	112	2	116	---	---	---	---	---	2
W. T. Clemens	2	19	105	54	----	----	105	12	36	10	42	---	---	---	---	---	---
F. Maunder	1	28	250	136	33	30	413	27	150	2	93	---	---	55	---	5	2
F. J. Fulton	2	15	115	50	----	----	115	15	20	8	26	---	---	---	---	1	---
W. M Hydon	1	25	250	120	30	32	312	25	200	9	81	---	---	---	---	---	2
L. L. Davy	1	10	60	40	----	----	60	4	----	----	30	3	3	3	---	---	---
T. J. Williams	2	15	65	43	----	----	65	9	20	----	20	---	---	---	---	---	---
Joseph Lobb	2	21	100	72	----	----	20	----	----	----	20	---	---	---	---	---	1
F. W. Dunning	1	13	46	29	----	----	46	11	30	----	15	---	---	---	---	4	1
D. C. Haven	2	16	60	40	----	----	60	16	20	----	18	---	---	---	---	---	---
F. W. Dunning	2	18	60	34	----	----	60	10	20	2	15	---	---	---	---	6	---
Totals	63	869	6322	3592	500	513	6808	721	3064	166	2560	3	12	68	9	50	47

toral Charges, 40 *Deceased

OSWEGO DISTRICT

A. C. LOUCKS, Superintendent.

STATISTICS NO. 3.

No. of Charge	CHARGES	PASTOR'S SUPPORT					Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Sup'r'end'ts		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES				
		Salary Allowed	Salary Paid	House Rent	Total	Deficiencies	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church: Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc.	Sunday Schools: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Pastors' Moving and Traveling Expenses.	Pastors' Donations	Total Insurance on Church Property
1	Adams	1200	1200	300	1500		65	65	67	67	22	22	1654	500	275	17		11375
2	Altmar and Pineville	400	400		400		12	12	10	10	7	7	429	63	36		10	2000
3	Amboy Center	465	474	50	524		7	6	20	20	4	4	554	23	20	12	60	1500
4	Belleville	700	700	100	800		34	34	39	39	11	11	884	150	40			5200
5	Camden	1000	1000	300	1300		70	70	118	118	23	23	1511	600	135			10050
6	Central Square	600	588	100	688	12	17	13	35	29	6	6	736	140	30	12		3600
7	Cleveland	600	600	100	700		25	25	48	48	12	12	785	200	45	21		7800
8	Constantia and W. Monroe	700	700	100	800		23	23	30	30	10	10	863	167	55			5300
9	Ellisburg	550	550	50	600		15	1	19	19	5	5	625	60	25	15		2000
10	Fernwood	533	533	60	593		28	18	33	33	8	8	652	65	41			3200
11	Florence		144		144		10	2	16	10	5	1	157	15	13			3000
12	Fulton, First Church	1600	1600	450	†2050		135	135	123	123	38	38	2346	1650	275			35500
13	Fulton, State Street	1000	1000	250	1250		58	58	65	65	22	22	1395	500	93			20000
14	Hannibal	750	750	100	850		40	25	53	53	15	15	943	250	50		15	7700
15	Henderson	600	600	100	700		17	12	24	24	9	9	745	85	35			5800
16	Lansing	150	150		150		3	2	9	9	1	1	162	40				1000
17	Lorraine	600	600	40	640		25	15	32	32	9	9	696	89	18		66	3500
18	Mannsville	700	700	100	800		20	20	37	37	11	11	868	75	43	35		3000
19	McConnellsville and Vienna	650	650	50	700		27	27	33	33	10	10	770	190	25		31	5250
20	Mexico	1000	1000	150	1150		70	70	70	70	22	22	1312	480	170			8000
21	Minetto	750	750	125	875		40	40	40	40	11	11	966	170	100	10		6450
22	Mt. Pleasant	650	650	75	725		29	20	35	35	11	11	791	125	60		25	2100
23	New Haven	600	600	75	675		30	20	32	32	9	9	736	187	40	15	30	5500
24	North Bay and Sylvan	600	600	75	675		14	10	20	20	5	5	710	58	15			3055
25	North Mexico	300	300		300		10		15	2	6		302	20	30	1		1000
26	Orwell and Richland	800	800	100	900		45	5	45	54	10	8	967	100	100	22	40	4000
27	Oswego Center	700	*546	50	596	154	25	25	40	40	10	10	671	185	72			4900
28	Oswego, First Church	1350	1350	300	1650		95	80	111	111	25	25	1868	966	135			20500
29	Oswego, Trinity	1200	1200	300	1500		60	60	87	87	21	21	1658	1609	115			41800
30	Parish	550	550	120	670		25	20	35	32	8	8	730	123	116		100	5200
31	Pennellville and Peats	500	500	75	575		11	11	24	24	6	6	616	69	42	12	30	3200
32	Pulaski	900	900	150	1050		65	55	67	67	18	18	1190	380	93			8000
33	Redfield	475	475	40	515		15	15	19	19	6	6	554	35	26	16	22	1900
34	Sandy Creek	1000	1000	200	1200		65	65	67	67	22	22	1354	440	81			15700
35	Scriba	300	300	50	350		8	5	16	16	4	4	375	25	30		60	2000
36	South Hannibal	150	150		150		3	1	7	10	2	1	162	35	20			900
37	Vermillion	650	572	50	622	78	15	15	39	39	8	8	684	95	20	26		2200
38	Westdale	200	200		200		7	7	13	13	2	2	222	65	15			2400
39	West Sandy Creek	500	500	50	550		13	6	19	21	6	6	583	15	18			4351
40	Williamstown and Ricard	400	400	60	460		9	9	21	21	4	4	494	60	15			3850
	Totals	26373	26282	4295	30577	244	1285	1102	1633	1619	444	431	33720	10104	2567	214	489	278881

Pastoral Charges, 40 *$493 to A. W. Locke $53 to Supply †$450 Additional Deaconess

OSWEGO DISTRICT.

A. C. LOUCKS, Superintendent.

STATISTICS NO. 4.

No. of Charge.	PASTORS.	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS																						
		Missions						Board of Education		Board of Sunday Schools		Board of Confer'ce Claimants					W. H. M. S.							
		Foreign Missions			Home Missions and Church Extension																			
		Church	Sunday Schools	Special Gifts	Church	Sunday Schools	Special Gifts	Church, General Education	Children's Fund	Church	Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedmen's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Cash	Supplies	Other Benevolent Collections	Local Educational Interests	M. E. Hospital	Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension	
1	S. S. Davis	107	20	----	107	20	----	---	13	---	12	-	---	9	2	173	†1167	22	63	7	3	10		
2	S. L. Kennedy	9	7	----	9	7	----	---	4	---	1	---	---	4	1	32	----	---	4	---	1	----		
3	J. J. Johnston	25	----	----	5	5	----	---	---	---	4	---	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
4	R. K. Sheffield	19	6	----	14	6	----	3	6	2	---	---	---	3	---	35	32	---	---	---	---	10		
5	F. L. Knapp	220	50	40	60	50	----	---	13	---	5	10	---	20	5	52	93	123	200	6	10	30		
6	C. N. Thomas	3	8	----	3	8	----	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
7	M. E. Duesler	10	13	----	2	---	----	---	5	---	---	---	---	3	---	15	----	---	---	---	1	----		
8	F. C. Schorge	54	7	5	53	7	----	---	7	4	---	---	---	8	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	6		
9	D. R Smith	3	2	----	2	3	----	---	8	1	---	---	-	3	1	---	---	---	---	---	1	----		
10	P. O. Wilcox	37	5	15	37	5	----	---	16	1	---	---	---	5	1	27	----	---	46	---	---	9		
11	M. S. Scriber	4	---	----	4	---	----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
12	J. G. Cornwell	200	97	120	180	97	----	---	24	8	---	16	---	8	2	284	263	30	45	10	---	38		
13	F. A. Miller	110	42	----	80	42	----	---	9	4	---	---	---	21	5	67	37	---	18	---	5	18		
14	Henry Hughes	35	5	----	30	5	----	---	12	1	---	---	---	2	2	49	27	---	76	---	---	5		
15	J. A. Sypher	10	5	----	10	5	----	---	7	2	---	---	---	2	---	25	----	---	---	---	---	2		
16	L. L. Davy	---	---	----	---	---	----	---	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
17	R. E. Jones	8	2	----	18	2	----	---	4	---	---	---	---	2	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
18	C. V. Haven	40	5	100	30	5	----	---	4	1	1	---	3	5	2	60	31	13	5	2	2	2		
19	H J. Carey	46	10	----	44	10	----	---	17	1	---	---	---	13	2	59	2	7	114	---	---	2		
20	G. F. Shepherd	211	30	295	130	29	30	10	15	8	6	---	---	20	2	200	139	62	108	---	5	30		
21	C. F. Miller	45	19	----	45	19	----	---	16	5	---	---	---	10	1	43	51	---	---	4	---	10		
22	W. H. Summers	27	13	----	17	13	----	2	7	---	2	---	---	5	2	81	----	---	15	---	---	---		
23	F. N. Churchill	47	11	----	30	12	----	---	3	---	---	---	---	6	2	77	----	21	1	---	---	6		
24	J. W. Wilson	18	9	----	18	9	----	4	4	1	---	---	---	6	1	---	----	---	---	---	---	---		
25	S. B. Owens	---	---	----	---	---	----	---	4	---	---	---	---	---	---	17	----	---	---	---	---	---		
26	Alonzo Hand	10	5	----	10	5	----	2	1	1	---	---	---	2	1	84	---	---	---	---	---	---		
27	*A. W Locke	30	14	6	48	12	----	2	22	---	---	---	---	7	1	14	33	---	1	---	1	8		
28	E. H. Joy	59	81	----	59	81	----	---	35	---	5	---	---	25	2	211	114	126	418	---	---	20		
29	D. C. Johnson	100	47	----	550	47	----	---	11	2	---	---	---	15	2	§7442	§7346	---	10	---	---	10		
30	A. E. Moody	10	9	----	13	9	----	1	7	---	1	---	---	1	1	----	21	3	---	---	---	2		
31	W. T. Clemens	18	5	----	17	5	----	---	9	---	---	---	---	6	---	---	---	---	65	1	---	1		
32	F Maunder	150	15	15	88	15	----	---	7	---	4	-	---	12	2	93	63	4	108	---	5	18		
33	F. J. Fulton	30	6	----	30	6	----	---	6	5	---	---	---	7	1	---	---	---	---	2	3	2		
34	W. M. Hydon	160	33	----	144	33	----	3	15	2	2	---	---	15	2	219	89	22	2	---	7	15		
35	L. L. Davy	3	---	----	3	---	----	---	3	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	----	---	---	---	---	2		
36	T. J. Williams	5	5	20	2	---	----	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	---	16	----	---	---	---	---	---		
37	Joseph Lobb	17	6	----	17	6	----	---	10	1	1	---	---	3	1	50	5	---	2	3	1	---		
38	F. W. Dunning	21	6	15	19	6	----	---	8	---	---	---	---	5	1	11	----	---	11	1	---	5		
39	D. C. Haven	3	---	----	2	---	----	---	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	----	---	6	---	---	2		
40	F. W. Dunning	18	3	----	9	3	----	---	9	---	---	---	---	2	1	7	----	---	---	---	---	---		
	Totals	1922	601	631	2239	587	30	27	347	50	44	26	3	260	49	9443	9513	433	1318	36	45	263		

*Deceased. §Mrs. Kate C. Loucks: Home Missions and Church Extension, $500; Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, $7,286; Woman's Home Missionary Society, $7,271. †$1,000 given by Mrs. I. L. Hunt.

ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT.

CHARLES C. TOWNSEND, Superintendent.

STATISTICS NO. 1.

No. of Charge	CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			Epworth Leagues				CHURCH PROPERTY						
		No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Church Property	Present Indebtedness on Church Property
1	Bangor	11	206	--	3	15	---	2	22	175	1	50	2	32	2	8500	1	2000	-----	-----	-----
2	Belmont	2	128	--	1	6	12	2	17	104	1	20	--	---	2	4500	1	1500	170	-----	-----
3	Bombay	---	92	1	1	7	4	2	16	120	2	63	1	38	2	5950	1	3000	727	-----	200
4	Brasher	22	136	--	1	2	11	2	25	175	2	45	1	20	2	6000	1	1500	138	60	-----
5	Bucksbridge	2	47	1	2	---	---	1	6	16	--	----	--	---	2	4800	1	500	168	-----	-----
6	Burke	1	101	--	2	---	1	2	30	130	1	26	1	33	2	8500	1	3200	2000	-----	1000
7	Canton and S. Canton	4	188	--	11	7	1	1	18	181	1	60	--	---	1	30000	1	3000	-----	750	4750
8	Chasm Falls	3	82	1	1	23	---	1	9	53	1	21	--	---	3	6200	1	1500	27	97	-----
9	Chateaugay	---	162	--	1	---	3	2	17	125	1	38	--	---	2	16000	1	2500	-----	-----	140
10	Colton	7	81	--	---	7	2	2	12	60		----	--	---	2	7000	1	600	5	-----	-----
11	DeKalb Junction	1	118	1	3	---	1	2	16	130	1	20	--	---	2	6000	1	1300	45	-----	-----
12	Depeyster	---	64	1	1	46	5	1	12	130	1	24	--	---	1	3000	1	2500	90	123	-----
13	Fort Covington	7	57	--	2	7	---	1	12	94	1	24	1	15	1	8000	1	1600	-----	-----	-----
14	Galilee	---	57	--	---	---	---	1	11	43	--	----	--	---	2	5000	1	1500	72	-----	-----
15	Hermon	49	105	--	---	43	12	2	26	186	1	31	1	18	2	8000	1	2600	300	-----	-----
16	Heuvelton	20	130	--	1	5	2	1	23	122	1	50	1	27	1	9000	1	1200	10	-----	-----
17	Lawrence	3	72	--	1	7	2	2	23	207	1	22	--	---	2	8500	1	800	223	29	-----
18	Louisville	3	50	--	2	1	-	2	15	90	1	25	--	---	1½	2750	1	2500	10	160	40
19	Lisbon	5	108	--	1	3	4	2	15	100	--	----	--	---	2	5000	1	2000	67	116	119
20	Madrid	4	87	--	3	2	---	2	18	98	1	26	1	21	2	10500	1	2000	300	-----	-----
21	Malone	31	428	1	5	16	9	1	35	448	1	63	--	---	1	21000	1	3700	742	-----	500
22	Massena	2	212	1	3	9	---	1	22	265	1	60	1	36	1	12000	1	4000	500	235	500
23	Moira and Brushton	2	212	--	1	5	7	2	37	113	2	40	1	18	2	14700	1	1600	340	-----	40
24	Morristown	5	132	--	3	2	4	2	22	144	2	61	--	---	2	6500	1	1500	1053	-----	250
25	Nicholville & Ft. Jackson	6	97	--	3	---	---	2	20	100	1	19	--	---	2	9000	2	3000	100	-----	462
26	Norfolk	12	121	--	---	25	8	2	23	232	1	44	--	---	1½	12000	1	1800	-----	-----	-----
27	Norwood	15	201	--	4	40	3	1	28	375	1	50	1	25	1	10000	1	3000	500	-----	-----
28	Ogdensburg	17	451	--	12	21	2	1	46	453	1	59	1	30	1	30000	1	5000	100	700	-----
29	Parishville	2	110	--	4	1	---	1	15	120	1	40	1	30	1	2000	1	1500	-----	-----	-----
30	Pierrepont-Hannawa Fl's	2	12	--	---	1	1	1	6	24	--	----	--	---	1	2000	--	-----	-----	-----	-----
31	Potsdam	18	289	--	5	3	7	1	23	250	1	44	1	28	1	40000	1	4000	214	5156	4144
32	Racquette and Center	22	79	--	1	4	8	2	21	120	1	60	--	---	2	5000	1	1000	20	-----	462
33	Rensselaer Falls	3	98	--	---	7	1	2	24	123	1	30	1	25	2	14000	1	2000	200	-----	-----
34	Russell	2	63	--	1	11	3	1	14	60	--	----	--	---	1	8500	1	1000	60	20	-----
35	St. Regis Falls, Dickenson	2	136	--	3	3	---	2	26	213	2	73	2	69	2	9000	1	2500	54	-----	-----
36	St. Regis Indian Mission	7	82	--	---	10	---	1	4	67	--	----	--	---	1	2000	1	1000	80	-----	-----
37	Stockholm	3	72	--	2	4	2	2	19	111	1	37	--	---	2	5500	1	700	-----	-----	500
38	Tupper Lake	1	71	--	---	3	---	1	14	140	1	45	--	---	1	8000	1	2200	170	-----	-----
39	Waddington	9	73	--	2	7	1	2	24	142	1	34	1	25	2	4000	1	1000	35	30	7
40	Westville and Constable	15	104	1	2	19	1	2	12	90	1	10	1	15	3	6000	1	800	-----	-----	-----
	Totals	320	5114	8	88	372	117	63	779	5929	38	1314	20	515	67	379400	40	78600	8520	7476	13114

Pastoral Charges, 40.

ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT.

CHARLES C. TOWNSEND, Superintendent,

STATISTICS NO. 2.

No. of Charge	PASTORS	SUNDAY SCHOOLS											MISCELLANEOUS					
		No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars of all Grades	Average Attendance of all Grades	No. of Members in the Home Department	No. of Children on the Cradle Roll	Total Enrollment in all Departments	No. of Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers	No. of Scholars, Whether Attendants or Members in Home Dept. who are Church Members or Probationers	No. of Members of Sunday School Converted during the year	Current Expenses, Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Perm'nt Fund: Church	Perm'nt Fund: Pastor	Relief Fund: Church	Relief Fund: Pastor	General Conference Expenses	Central Office Expenses of Epworth League
1	W. H. Moore	2	22	175	120			175	22			75					4	2
2	E. E. Day	2	17	104	61			104	10	32		35					3	1
3	F. R. Griffiths	2	16	108	85		12	120	14		10	39			2			
4	T. A. Story	2	25	135	95		40	175	23	95		40					1	1
5	John Tagg	1	6	16	10			16	5			13					3	
6	S. G. Carley	2	30	130	70			130		16		42					1	2
7	H. W. Markham	1	18	181	105			181	18	85		65					5	
8	W. C. Cramer	1	9	53	31			53	9	3	5	19						
9	E. M. Crandall Supplies	2	17	100	80	40		125	15	50		73					8	1
10	A. G. Austin	2	12	60	40			60	12	40		50					3	
11	G. A. Wilkinson	2	16	130	55			130	16	20		45					3	1
12	D. E. Robson	1	12	100	45		30	130	11	40		20					3	1
13	J. G. Benson	1	12	65	31	12	17	94	12	33		47					3	2
14	F. E. Haven	1	11	43	35			43	9			3						
15	S. H. Stokes	2	26	170	119		16	186	26	86	21	78					3	1
16	Basil R. Gabriel	1	23	122	62			122	20	60	12	51					3	3
17	I. C. Smith	2	23	95	71	80	32	207	22	20	3	56					2	1
18	A. E. Budd	2	15	90	50			90	12			34					3	
19	Alexander Scott	2	15	100	55			100	14			35					4	
20	W. H. Jago	2	18	98	75			98	16			68		6			3	
21	M. D. Sill	1	35	312	190	73	63	448	35	270	12	160			1		6	1
22	W. H. English	1	20	230	170		35	265	20	190		125					4	2
23	M. H. Dowd	2	37	150	97			113	37	75	8	65	5				5	1
24	R. W. Scouten	2	22	144	63			144	22	63		39					3	3
25	W. D. Aubrey	2	20	100	52			52	16	40		20						1
26	C. E. Woodley	2	23	220	130		12	232	20		50	75					3	1
27	G. H. Williams	1	28	275	153	60	40	375	27			200					4	2
28	S. T. Dibble	1	46	350	213	45	58	453	46	367	17	173					7	3
29	Theo. Wells	1	15	105	90		15	120	17	15	4	90					1	
30	F. E. Loan	1	6	24	17			24	5			18						
31	Jabez Stallwood	1	23	250	129			250	19	139		52					5	3
32	G. R. Harland-A. J Green	2	21	100	85		20	99	17		21	65					2	
33	C. J. Middleton	2	24	123	98			123	24	55	3	35		1			5	2
34	A. A. Lawrence-C. H. Fenton	1	14	60	40			60	9	25	6	17						
35	R. F. Bayliss	2	26	170	114		40	213	23	31		90						1
36	J. J. Oke	1	4	67	45			67	4		16							
37	R. A. Nuun	2	19	94	60		17	111	9	14		34					3	1
38	J. F. Day	1	14	140	80			140	12	25		60					3	
39	H. C. Campbell	2	24	120	78	14	8	142	20	10		50					2	1
40	H. E. Davis	2	12	90	68			90	11			30					2	
	Totals	63	776	5199	3267	324	455	5860	579	1890	192	2286	5	7	3		110	38

Pastoral Charges, 40.

ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT.

CHARLES C. TOWNSEND, Superintendent.

STATISTICS NO. 3.

No. of Charge	CHARGES	PASTOR'S SUPPORT					Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Sup'r'end'ts		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES				
		Salary Allowed	Salary Paid	House Rent	Total	Deficiencies	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church: Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc.	Sunday Schools: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Pastors' Moving and Traveling Expenses.	Pastors' Donations	Total Insurance on Church Property
1	Bangor	900	900	100	1000	---	30	22	52	52	11	11	1085	125	75	---	---	---
2	Belmont	650	650	100	750	---	24	24	39	39	9	9	822	109	35	---	40	4420
3	Bombay	700	700	200	900	---	18	15	34	34	8	8	957	105	39	---	40	6600
4	Brasher	700	700	100	800	---	24	24	47	47	10	10	881	125	40	---	60	4000
5	Bucksbridge	500	500	50	550	---	11	6	21	21	6	3	580	50	13	16	---	3700
6	Burke	700	700	100	800	---	22	13	43	43	9	9	865	97	42	---	---	6000
7	Canton and S. Canton	1100	1100	300	1400	---	36	36	64	64	14	14	1514	350	65	---	---	21000
8	Chasm Falls	600	570	100	670	30	20	3	39	39	8	4	716	65	19	---	---	6000
9	Chateaugay	863	863	50	913	---	54	54	58	58	12	12	1037	212	80	---	---	6150
10	Colton	700	625	60	685	75	19	15	38	34	6	5	739	80	50	17	---	2600
11	DeKalb Junction	650	650	100	750	---	24	14	42	42	8	8	814	120	45	---	---	4500
12	Depeyster	600	600	100	700	---	17	17	33	33	7	7	757	80	20	---	40	3280
13	Fort Covington	600	645	100	745	---	18	18	33	33	10	10	806	186	47	---	25	3500
14	Galilee	500	500	50	550	---	12	7	22	22	7	3	582	5	3	---	8	3400
15	Hermon	700	700	100	800	---	25	25	45	45	9	9	879	200	78	20	---	7000
16	Heuvelton	700	700	100	800	---	28	28	51	51	11	11	890	200	52	---	15	6800
17	Lawrence	500	500	50	550	---	15	15	37	37	8	8	610	73	56	25	25	3500
18	Louisville	600	600	100	700	---	15	15	32	32	8	8	755	65	34	---	---	2500
19	Lisbon	650	650	100	750	---	20	20	38	38	8	8	816	65	35	---	---	4250
20	Madrid	800	800	150	950	---	25	25	45	45	10	10	1030	160	68	---	---	7500
21	Malone	1200	1200	250	1450	---	85	85	127	127	18	18	1680	795	160	---	---	18417
22	Massena	1000	1000	200	1200	---	34	34	60	60	13	13	1307	225	125	41	---	6847
23	Moira and Brushton	850	850	120	970	---	32	32	53	53	11	11	1066	225	65	44	25	10000
24	Morristown	700	*741	100	841	---	27	27	38	38	8	8	914	114	39	8	17	4600
25	Nicholville and Fort Jackson	800	800	100	900	---	22	22	41	41	9	9	972	100	20	---	---	4700
26	Norfolk	700	700	120	820	---	18	18	40	40	8	8	886	150	75	---	---	3000
27	Norwood	900	900	200	1100	---	33	33	54	54	11	11	1198	200	200	---	---	6000
28	Ogdensburg	1300	1300	300	1600	---	101	101	137	137	19	19	1857	1335	157	---	---	28500
29	Parishville	600	†630	100	730	---	10	7	21	21	4	4	762	68	90	---	45	2700
30	Pierrepont-Hannawa Falls	450	450	66	516	---	5	5	5	5	2	2	528	5	18	---	---	1500
31	Potsdam	1200	1200	300	1500	---	44	44	112	112	15	15	1671	1118	53	---	55	22500
32	Racquette and Center	550	550	50	600	---	12	12	27	27	8	8	647	150	65	18	11	462
33	Rensselaer Falls	800	800	100	900	---	24	22	46	46	12	12	980	150	25	---	25	9300
34	Russell	500	500	50	550	---	15	3	27	27	7	7	587	40	17	---	---	2350
35	St Regis Falls & Dickinson	800	800	150	950	---	28	28	47	47	12	12	1037	152	90	20	142	5500
36	St. Regis Indian Mission	420	‡420	75	495	---	5	2	22	‡22	2	2	526	25	---	---	---	1500
37	Stockholm	675	675	75	750	---	23	23	37	37	9	9	819	135	34	28	---	3000
38	Tupper Lake	700	700	200	900	---	21	21	30	30	9	9	960	75	60	---	25	5400
39	Waddington	650	650	100	750	---	18	18	37	37	8	8	813	130	50	8	80	2100
40	Westville and Constable	600	600	50	650	---	18	18	36	36	8	8	712	82	30	---	11	3600
	Totals	29108	29119	4816	33935	105	1032	951	1810	1806	372	360	37061	7746	2379	245	699	248776

Pastoral Charges, 40

\$41.00 on Deficiency 1908-09 †\$30.00 on Deficiency 1908-09 ‡Paid by Home Missionary Society

ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT.

CHARLES C. TOWNSEND, Superintendent.

STATISTICS NO. 4.

No. of Charge.	PASTORS.	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS																				
		Missions						Board of Education		Board of Sunday Schools		Board of Confer'ce Claimants						W. H. M. S.				
		Foreign Missions			Home Missions and Church Extension																	
		Church	Sunday Schools	Special Gifts	Church	Sunday Schools	Special Gifts	Church, General Education	Children's Fund	Church	Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedmen's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Cash	Supplies	Other Benevolent Collections	Local Educational Interests	M. E. Hospital	Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension
1	W. H. Moore	40	9		30	9			10	2	1			10	1	17	39	5				3
2	E. E. Day	52	10	6	52	10		2	8	5			6	13	1		96			4	8	10
3	F. R. Griffiths	25	4		25	4			5	2				4		24				2		5
4	T. A. Story	52	10	5	49	10		2	8					2	1	29	19		40	3		10
5	John Tagg	9	1		8	2			2	2				3								
6	S. G. Carley	11	10		11	10			5	1				4		2	48			1		1
7	H. W. Markham	61	25	40	61	25			5	10				20			34	16		4		15
8	W. C. Cramer	10	3		10	3			6					1			12	3				
9	E.M.Crandall, supplies	106	4		106	4			5	10				23		48	16	13				14
10	A. G. Austin	8	2		8	2		1		1				2								1
11	G. A. Wilkinson	11	4		8	3		5		1				2	1	22						3
12	D. E. Robson	34	8		34	8		3	13		12			9			35					8
13	J. G. Benson	22	18		23	17			9	2	2			8	4		36	34	12		3	6
14	F. E. Haven	2			2				2													1
15	S. H. Stokes	60	9		54	9			12		4			13	1	19			211	4	5	3
16	Basil R. Gabriel	60	10		60	10		2	4					5			47				1	5
17	I. C Smith	8	3		8	3								4		1	1					
18	A. E. Budd	15	5		15	5			6	1				3					3		1	3
19	Alexander Scott	20	2		20	2		2	14	4			1	6	1	72				1	1	4
20	W. H. Jago	67	13		67	13		2	7					15	5	15				2	13	2
21	M. D. Sill	174	76		124	76			20	2	7		2	20	7	223	88	50	100	8	8	20
22	W. H. English	*70	30		60	30			10		15			10	2	114	54	13	27	5	2	5
23	M. H. Dowd	102	8		97	8		2	2		2			22	1					1	1	8
24	R. W. Scouton	43	8	60	44	9			6	12				14	1		58	5	24	9		8
25	W. D. Aubrey	19	9		19	9			1		2	2	3	3							1	2
26	C. E. Woodley	75			45			3	7					10	3	20				3	5	5
27	G. H. Williams	42	12		32	12			12		3			10	1	55	51					3
28	S. T. Dibble	144	164	50	96	164			25		13			70	3	219	99		220		14	10
29	Theo. Wells	7			5			1		1				2								1
30	F. E. Loan	2			2				2					1								
31	Jabez Stallwood	75	21		37	21			6	2	2			7	3	59	41			3		5
32	G. R. Harland--A. J. Green	25			7									2		11						
33	C. J. Middleton	79	6		11	6		2	12					10	1	1	81				9	
34	A. A. Lawrence	5	2		5	2		3	2				1	2	1						1	1
35	R F. Bayliss	37	20		28	20			4	2	2			2			35					
36	J. J. Oke				36					3												
37	R. A. Nunn	34	6		34	6		1	12	1	2			5								
38	J. F Day	16	8		16	8			9					2			16					
39	H. C. Campbell	25	3		25	3		2	3	1				10	1	1				1	1	2
40	H. E. Davis	28	5		28	5			10	1				8	1	17	16			2		2
	Totals	1675	528	161	1402	528		33	264	66	67	2	13	357	40	969	922	139	637	53	74	166

Pastoral Charges, 40.

*H. F. Rowe $15.00.

UTICA DISTRICT.

DAVID F. PIERCE, Superintendent.

STATISTICS NO 1.

No. of Charge	CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			Epworth Leagues				CHURCH PROPERTY						
		No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Church Property	Present Indebtedness on Church Property
1	Ava and Leyden	2	82	..	1	...	1	1	13	57	1	40	..	...	1	2500	1	700	31	100	.....
2	Beaver Falls	6	89	..	...	2	4	1	19	120	1	47	1	30	1	3500	1	2000	.....	82	.....
3	Boonville	33	303	..	6	...	1	2	42	265	1	56	1	44	2	14500	1	3000	353	160	1200
4	Clinton	8	218	..	3	4	1	1	17	182	1	40	1	24	1	5400	1	2600	125	.....	.....
5	Constableville	4	53	1	2	1	...	2	12	130	1	18	...	...	2	5000	1	500	50	.....	.....
6	Delta and Westernville	...	131	..	2	...	...	2	39	130	2	88	...	...	1	3000	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
7	Floyd and Stittville	1	121	..	1	1	10	2	25	136	2	40	...	...	2	2500	1	3000	.....	100	584
8	Forestport	2	65	..	2	...	.	2	18	90	1	18	...	...	2	3500	1	1000	.....	.....	.....
9	Lee Center	9	114	2	3	4	3	2	26	97	1	44	...	...	2	6000	1	1200	50	.....	.....
10	Lowell	4	85	..	1	1	...	1	20	100	1	30	...	...	1	3000	1	1000	150	.....	.....
11	Lowville	10	335	1	6	2	10	1	23	461	1	80	1	25	1	15000	1	3000	.....	518	.....
12	Martinsburg Circuit	8	108	..	4	...	5	3	20	103	1	17	...	...	4	8000	2	1900	100	.....	.....
13	New Bremen & Castorland	...	44	..	...	...	...	2	8	40	..	...	...	...	2	4100	1	600	.....	.....	.....
14	New Hartford	33	234	..	2	10	3	1	24	281	1	48	1	30	2	15800	1	3000	200	51	.....
15	N. London & State Bridge	4	85	..	1	5	3	2	20	90	1	25	..	...	2	3700	1	800	.....	.....	.....
16	New York Mills	3	228	..	5	11	7	1	33	249	1	50	...	...	1	15000	1	3000	150	.....	.....
17	Northwestern	7	85	1	1	...	4	2	20	85	1	20	..	...	2	4675	1	1100	95	.....	60
18	Port Leyden	...	115	1	3	1	3	2	20	100	1	24	1	12	2	6000	1	1000	150	180	.....
19	Rome, First Church	20	855	..	11	10	13	1	71	961	1	157	..	...	1	50000	1	8000	.....	.....	5000
20	Rome, Liberty Street	26	297	..	1	8	5	1	29	496	1	80	1	26	1	4700	1	2000	225	125	1118
21	Steuben	24	153	..	2	4	...	2	18	101	1	20	...	...	3	4000	2	1500	40	.....	.....
22	Taberg	11	130	..	...	...	9	3	29	130	1	15	...	...	3	10500	1	1000	.....	.....	.....
23	Trenton	8	104	..	2	...	3	1	17	134	1	39	1	23	1	4500	1	3700	275	.....	.....
24	Turin	...	207	..	5	...	2	3	37	287	1	28	1	22	3	10000	1	2500	635	.....	.....
25	Utica, Centenary	25	338	..	4	2	3	1	23	275	1	90	1	67	1	10000	1	3500	500	300	250
26	Utica, Coke Memorial	5	86	1	...	3	...	1	9	45	1	40	1	25	1	16500	1	3500	.....	.....	5700
27	Utica, Dryer Memorial*	69	240	1	4	14	5	1	29	271	1	49	1	58	1	6500	1	3700	44	42	.....
28	Utica, First Church	...	510	..	6	16	5	1	26	347	1	58	...	...	1	60000	1	6500	.....	.....	3500
29	Utica, Grace	17	146	2	4	7	2	2	30	178	1	32	1	18	2	16500	..	.....	250	.....	3600
30	Utica, South Street	3	374	..	3	5	2	1	22	388	1	68	1	54	1	15000	1	3500	900	.....	500
31	Verona	5	112	1	4	6	...	2	16	125	..	...	1	25	1	6100	1	1200	118	.....	.....
32	Watson	5	57	..	...	1	1	2	10	46	1	14	..	...	3½	5000	1	500	49	.....	.....
33	Westmorel'd Clark s Mills	4	163	..	2	2	...	2	27	166	2	48	1	26	2	6500	1	1200	398	.....	.....
34	Whitesboro and Maynard	11	187	..	5	3	2	2	29	199	1	51	1	42	2	12500	2	5500	100	.....	2000
	Totals	367	6454	11	96	123	107	56	831	6865	35	2394	17	551	58½	363475	35	77200	4988	1658	23512

Pastoral Charges, 34

*$2500. Raised for Parsonage to be Conveyed May 1, 1910

UTICA DISTRICT.

DAVID F. PIERCE, Superintendent.

STATISTICS NO 2.

No. of Charge	PASTORS	SUNDAY SCHOOLS											MISCELLANEOUS					
		No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars of all Grades	Average Attendance of all Grades	No. of Members in the Home Department	No. of Children on the Cradle Roll	Total Enrollment in all Departments	No. of Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers	No. of Scholars, Whether Attendants or Members in Home Dept. who are Church Members or Probationers	No. of Members of Sunday School Converted during the year	Current Expenses, Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Perm'nt Fund: Church	Perm'nt Fund: Pastor	Relief Fund: Church	Relief Fund: Pastor	General Conference Expenses	Central Office Expenses of Epworth League
1	W. J. Lawyer	1	13	57					13	26	1	22					6	
2	W. H. Pullen	1	19	120	70			120	18	55	1	60	10		2		5	2
3	James Matthews	2	42	251	135		14	265	42	126	10	123						3
4	J. B. Hammond	1	17	144	78		38	182	17	115	2	50					1	1
5	Herbert Eades	2	12	117	50		13	130	1	25		40	10		4		5	1
6	F. G. Curtis and I. J. Nourse	2	39	130	60			130	38			40	5		4			4
7	H. E. Waugh	2	25	136	90			136	25		15	45		5			3	2
8	C. B. Wallace	2	18	90	45			90	18	50		35					4	1
9	Geo. Dermott	2	26	97	60			97	20	31		44	2					2
10	W. J. Shaw	1	20	100	40			100	20			15						
11	F. B. Severance	1	23	328	128	90	43	461	20	175	7	120						8
12	Adelbert Warren	3	20	103	60			103	18		4	45					3	1
13	W. H. Pullen-F. B. Severance	2	8	40	23			40	7	10		30						
14	H. D. Holmes	1	24	201	110	48	32	281	23	150	38	76			50			2
15	R. W. Conklin	2	20	80	60		10	90	15			40						
16	A. B. Corbin	1	33	187	133	43	19	249	30	147	5	200					10	2
17	A. O. Webster	2	20	85	65			85	20		3	15	1		1			1
18	W. R. Helms	2	20	100	90			100	18			120	4		5			
19	E. B. Topping	1	71	747	370	154	60	961	71		35	348						3
20	S. W. Brown and E. H. Scott	1	29	211	100	65	220	496	29	175	8	100						
21	Alfred Harries	2	18	101	50			101	18		5	30					7	2
22	G. M. Ward	3	29	130	80			130	29	50	6	50						
23	A. K. Jennings	1	17	114	60		20	134	13	48	10	68						2
24	C. M. Smith	3	37	237	127		50	287	33	78		130					13	2
25	T. F. Alexander	1	23	210	154	50	15	275	23	160	2	219						4
26	Evan Evans	1	9	35	30	10		45	9	35		20					1	2
27	C. H. Walton	1	29	235	125	22	14	271	28	130	40	152					4	2
28	A. H. Zimmerman	1	26	285	171	40	22	347	25		6	250						1
29	M. J. Crosby	2	30	136	72	25	17	178	28	58	20	97						1
30	W. J. Hart	1	32	298	200	60	30	388	32	190	25	215	2				15	
31	F. B. Stanford	2	16	125	58			125	16	60	2	52					3	
32	O. M. Kelley	2	10	46	24			46	7	7	5	9					2	
33	C. A. Miller	2	27	166	97			166	25	67	4	95					4	2
34	U. E. Brown	2	29	167		6	26	199	28		8	59					3	2
	Totals	56	831	5609	3015	613	643	6865	777	1978	262	3214	34	5	66		89	53

Pastoral Charges, 34.

UTICA DISTRICT.

DAVID F. PIERCE, Superintendent.

STATISTICS NO 3.

No. of Charge	CHARGES	PASTOR'S SUPPORT					Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Sup'r'end'ts		Support of Bishops			CURRENT EXPENSES				
		Salary Allowed	Salary Paid	House Rent	Total	Deficiencies	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	Church: Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc.	Sunday Schools: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Pastors' Moving and Traveling Expenses.	Pastors' Donations	Total Insurance on Church Property
1	Ava and Leyden	500	500	50	550	...	15	15	34	34	6	6	614	47	22	11	...	2600
2	Beaver Falls	700	700	100	800	...	39	39	51	51	10	10	900	80	60	...	...	3650
3	Boonville	1000	1000	150	1150	...	58	58	70	70	17	17	1295	450	123	31	...	10350
4	Clinton	800	800	200	1000	...	45	45	64	64	14	14	1123	262	50	...	100	3800
5	Constableville	600	600	50	650	...	14	14	32	32	7	7	703	50	40	...	...	2000
6	Delta and Westernville	550	550	60	610	...	25	15	38	38	7	7	670	190	40	...	60	1600
7	Floyd and Stittville	650	650	100	750	...	25	25	38	38	9	9	822	152	45	...	...	7400
8	Forestport	600	600	100	700	...	15	15	38	38	7	7	760	100	35	13	...	3500
9	Lee Center	600	600	100	700	...	15	15	38	38	8	8	761	115	44	...	...	5650
10	Lowell	500	500	50	550	...	8	6	34	34	6	6	596	65	15	20	...	2600
11	Lowville	1000	1000	200	1200	...	100	100	106	106	26	26	1432	331	120	...	...	9700
12	Martinsburg Circuit	800	*788	100	888	12	20	20	66	60	12	12	980	120	45	...	...	2800
13	New Bremen and Castorland	430	421	...	421	9	10	10	34	34	7	7	472	...	...	...	...	3100
14	New Hartford	1000	1000	200	1200	...	50	50	64	64	16	16	1330	456	76	...	...	13500
15	New London and State Bridge	600	600	40	640	...	15	14	34	34	6	6	694	90	40	...	...	...
16	New York Mills	900	900	150	1050	...	50	50	64	64	15	15	1179	450	200	...	100	15150
17	Northwestern	525	525	50	575	...	15	11	34	34	6	7	627	71	15	22	2	4200
18	Port Leyden	700	700	120	820	...	38	23	51	51	10	10	894	80	120	...	...	6000
19	Rome, First Church	1500	1500	500	2000	...	165	165	153	153	50	50	2368	1997	348	...	...	51000
20	Rome, Liberty Street	928	928	175	1103	...	34	34	38	38	10	10	1185	300	100	53	...	5500
21	Steuben	563	563	75	638	...	20	20	47	47	8	8	713	41	30	19	...	2800
22	Taberg	650	650	75	725	...	15	3	48	48	9	9	785	130	50	...	...	5500
23	Trenton	650	700	150	850	...	15	15	38	38	8	8	911	155	68	15	35	4800
24	Turin	910	†910	100	1010	...	22	27	70	70	13	13	1120	234	130	48	20	7100
25	Utica, Centenary	1000	1000	300	1300	...	64	26	74	74	18	18	1418	258	219	23	...	7500
26	Utica, Coke Memorial	600	600	...	600	...	5	5	32	32	6	6	643	209	20	...	...	10000
27	Utica, Dryer Memorial	1100	1100	...	1100	...	34	30	42	42	10	10	1182	282	152	...	20	4500
28	Utica, First Church	1600	1600	450	2050	...	105	105	115	115	34	34	2304	2090	250	...	...	39000
29	Utica, Grace	900	900	...	900	...	12	6	36	36	7	7	949	120	97	...	...	7300
30	Utica, South Street	1200	1200	300	1500	...	102	102	100	100	30	30	1732	938	215	...	34	12500
31	Verona	723	723	100	823	...	20	20	42	42	8	8	893	125	52	...	...	5450
32	Watson	600	442	50	492	158	6	5	38	30	4	4	531	64	9	...	38	2850
33	Westmorel'nd & Clark's Mills	675	675	100	775	...	30	30	49	49	14	14	868	424	95	25	...	5000
34	Whitesboro and Maynard	700	700	150	850	...	31	31	38	38	10	10	929	162	59	...	60	10800
	Totals	26754	26634	4345	30979	179	1237	1149	1850	1836	428	429	34393	10638	2984	280	469	279200

Pastoral Charges, 34 *$75.00 Additional paid John Strong at Welch Hill †$35.00 Paid Helper at Greig

UTICA DISTRICT.

DAVID F. PIERCE, Superintendent.

STATISTICS NO 4.

No. of Charge.	PASTORS.	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS																					
		Missions						Board of Education		Board of Sunday Schools		Board of Confer'ce Claimants						W. H. M. S.					
		Foreign Missions			Home Missions and Church Extension																		
		Church	Sunday Schools	Special Gifts	Church	Sunday Schools	Special Gifts	Church, General Education	Children's Fund	Church	Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedmen's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Cash	Supplies	Other Benevolent Collections	Local Educational Interests	M. E. Hospital	Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension
1	W. J. Lawyer	18	4		19	4		3	6		2	2		7	1				5		3	7
2	W. H. Pullen	58	22	20	58	22	9	5	22	5	7	2	3	15	3		53	67	62	10	10	15
3	James Matthews	70	43		30	43		2	3	2	3			16	4	123	37	57	38		4	22
4	J. B. Hammond	40	17		40	17		1	3	1	1	2		3	1	89			20	2	1	20
5	Herbert Eades		10		10			9	7			6		5	7						1	
6	F. G. Curtis---I. J. Nourse	17	8		17	8		2	7		3			10	2	14			50		3	4
7	H. E. Waugh	60	10		75	10			12	1				4	1						5	14
8	C. B. Wallace	9	1		9	1			2	1	1			1	1					1		4
9	Geo. Dermott	21	10		20	10			11		3			3	2	8			4	2	2	8
10	W. J. Shaw	12	5		12	5			5					4	1	25					1	
11	F. B. Severance	110	78	*50	116	79			20		10	10		20	5	70	108	22	27	5	8	20
12	Adelbert Warren	34	6		14	6			8		1			4	4	29	5			2	1	10
13	W. H. Pullen--F. B. Severance	13			13				1	2				2						1		7
14	H. D. Holmes	46	26	28	74	26			15		7			15	2	42	108	4	72	5	1	30
15	R. W. Conklin	25	10		20	7		6	6					2							2	8
16	A. B. Corbin	40	50	15	55	50		10	12	8				25	2	62	49	10	33		7	25
17	A. O. Webster	2	2		2	2		2	2	1				2	2	13				1	2	2
18	W. R. Helmes	10	15		8	5		3	7		5			2	2	17						5
19	E. B. Topping	243	132		233	132			34	20				75		242	205		150	15		75
20	S. W. Brown---E. H. Scott	15	26		15	26			12	2				7	2	61			50	3	3	10
21	Alfred Harries	30	5		32				9		3			4	1	72					3	8
22	G. M. Ward	11	5		7	5			9					5		16						
23	A. K. Jennings	15	16		15	16		1	7					5			52	14				20
24	C. M. Smith	79	18	45	77	18		5	30	5	2			20	5	36	88	6	15			20
25	T. F. Alexander	50	50		45	50			18	4				12	2	63	19		57	4		24
26	Evan Evans	14	11		4	3			1												1	
27	C. H. Walton	25	20		25	20		3	4	5				3	3	45	49		12			12
28	A. H. Zimmerman	155	61	128	89	61		10	25	10				10	5	107	179		110	5	5	45
29	M. J. Crosby	23	2		23	2					2			4	1	2	29			2		5
30	W. J. Hart	152	58	122	110	57			15	5		3		25	5	148	148		126	6	7	25
31	F. B. Stanford	17	10		14	10		3	5	1	1			2	5	15			5	2	1	9
32	O. M. Kelly	13	2		12	2		1	4	1				3	1	2	6		14		1	
33	C. A. Miller	52	28	102	52	28		1	8	2	1			10	2	69				5	1	12
34	U. E. Brown	37	23	15	37	23			8		10			8	3	13			14	2	3	8
	Totals	1516	784	525	1382	648	9	67	338	76	62	25	3	333	75	1383	1135	180	864	73	76	474

Pastoral Charges, 34.

*Epworth League. ..... $12.
African Diamond Jubilee $10.
Laymen's Movement .... $28.

WATERTOWN DISTRICT.

S. W. BROWN, Superintendent.

STATISTICS NO. 1.

No. of Charge	CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			Epworth Leagues				CHURCH PROPERTY							
		No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Church Property	Present Indebtedness on Church Property
1	Alexandria Bay	12	130	..	2	2	5	1	15	150	1	30	1	25	1	9000	1	3000	350	.....	.....
2	Antwerp	7	189	..	3	6	...	1	14	263	1	28	1	47	1	8000	1	1600	350	.....	518
3	Barnes Corners	...	57	1	...	...	...	2	16	85	..	..	..	...	1	3000	1	900	.....	50	250
4	Black River	13	171	..	3	3	6	1	26	173	1	80	1	50	1	7500	1	2500	170	.....	.....
5	Brownville and Dexter	23	192	..	1	5	7	2	39	393	2	108	..	...	2	11000	1	2500	112	.....	.....
6	Cape Vincent	16	81	..	3	8	1	1	17	109	1	30	..	...	1	7000	1	2000	100	438	400
7	Carthage	16	398	..	2	12	38	1	24	501	1	62	1	40	1	21000	1	5000	210	243	2222
8	Champion	2	64	..	1	...	...	1	10	81	1	20	..	...	1	2500	1	1300	15	.....	.....
9	Chaumont	6	75	..	3	...	...	1	19	147	1	26	..	...	1	6000	1	1800	15	.....	.....
10	Clayton	7	109	..	2	6	9	1	23	194	1	35	1	38	1	9000	1	3000	140	.....	.....
11	Copenhagen	10	119	..	2	8	3	1	12	99	1	42	1	12	1	5700	1	1300	283	.....	.....
12	DePauville	5	78	..	1	1	1	2	28	250	..	...	1	40	1½	5400	1	2000	100	.....	.....
13	Edwards & South Edwards	12	112	..	3	2	...	2	23	105	2	45	..	...	2	5000	2	2500	450	.....	.....
14	Evans Mills	4	79	..	1	1	1	1	14	112	1	30	..	...	2	8000	2	1500	59	.....	.....
15	Felts Mills	12	139	..	2	5	...	1	18	151	1	55	..	...	1	7000	1	1200	50	100	1700
16	Gouverneur	15	450	1	2	22	8	1	45	875	1	70	1	45	1	28000	1	4000	250	.....	.....
17	Great Bend	...	75	..	...	...	5	1	14	75	1	22	1	40	1	2500	1	1200	100	.....	.....
18	Grindstone	7	19	..	1	14	4	1	5	85	1	16	1	32	1	2000	1	1000	25	.....	.....
19	Hailesboro & Nat'ral Dam	1	45	..	2	6	...	4	12	110	..	...	..	...	2	4500	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
20	Hammond	..	95	..	2	4	1	3	25	95	1	32	1	20	1	4000	1	1500	100	125	140
21	Harrisville	10	128	..	2	2	4	1	17	166	1	24	1	50	2	4900	1	2000	45	.....	.....
22	La Fargeville	6	89	..	3	...	4	2	28	200	1	20	..	..	2	5700	1	2000	320	.....	.....
23	Macomb	17	65	..	1	4	4	2	25	61	..	...	..	...	2	4500	1	800	10	60	.....
24	Natural Bridge & Woods	14	94	1	4	6	1	2	21	165	..	...	..	...	2	3700	1	2800	111	103	450
25	OxBow	...	36	1	1	3	...	1	7	35	..	..	..	...	2	4500	1	1800	100	.....	.....
26	Philadelphia	5	220	1	5	2	23	1	20	165	1	45	1	16	1	8000	1	2500	400	.....	.....
27	Pillar Point	...	48	..	1	...	3	1	10	48	1	30	..	...	1	3000	1	1200	150	.....	105
28	Plessis and Redwood	24	148	1	5	1	1	2	31	226	2	60	..	...	2	7400	1	1200	228	.....	.....
29	Point Peninsula	...	15	..	...	3	...	1	5	57	..	...	..	...	1	2500	1	700	12	.....	.....
30	Richville	15	93	..	...	10	5	2	22	132	1	10	1	7	2	4000	1	2000	241	.....	.....
31	Rodman	...	89	..	2	...	...	2	18	68	..	...	..	...	2	7000	1	800	975	.....	.....
32	Sackets Harbor	1	108	1	...	9	2	2	35	260	1	40	..	...	1	6000	1	1500	95	.....	.....
33	St. Lawrence	2	65	..	...	1	...	1	17	180	..	...	..	...	1	4500	1	4500	150	.....	.....
34	Sprague ville & So'merv'le	5	76	..	...	2	1	2	20	113	1	28	..	...	2	6000	1	1000	133	.....	.....
35	Theresa	10	170	..	7	4	1	1	34	363	1	45	1	25	1	10000	1	4000	.....	900	600
36	Three Mile Bay	5	44	..	1	4	1	1	9	73	1	10	..	..	1	3000	1	2000	.....	.....	.....
37	Watertown, Arsenal St.	46	594	2	7	16	8	1	47	741	1	108	1	30	1	30000	1	6000	873	.....	.....
38	Watertown, Asbury	26	556	2	9	6	11	1	32	685	1	125	1	45	1	40000	..	..	37310	...	8500
39	Watertown, Bethany	30	181	..	...	17	5	1	20	391	1	67	..	...	1	8000	1	3000	.	150	1650
40	Thousand Island Park	3	66	..	...	3	2	3	20	175	..	...	..	..	2	8000	1	1500	325	100	900
	Totals	387	5562	11	86	198	165	59	837	8151	33	1335	17	562	54	326800	40	81100	44757	2279	17435

Pastoral Charges, 40.

WATERTOWN DISTRICT.

S. W. BROWN, Superintendent.

STATISTICS NO 2.

No. of Charge	PASTORS	SUNDAY SCHOOLS											MISCELLANEOUS					
													Perm'nt Fund		Relief Fund			
		No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars of all Grades	Average Attendance of all Grades	No. of Members in the Home Department	No. of Children on the Cradle Roll	Total Enrollment in all Departments	No. of Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers	No. of Scholars, Whether Attendants or Members in Home Dept. who are Church Members or Probationers	No. of Members of Sunday School Converted during the year	Current Expenses, Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Church	Pastor	Church	Pastor	General Conference Expenses	Central Office Expenses of Epworth League
1	A. J. Felshaw	1	15	140	90	----	10	150	14	26	4	85	---	---	---	---	4	1
2	W. G. Atwell	1	14	199	80	34	30	263	14	58	----	70	---	---	---	---	4	1
3	A. R. Myers	2	16	69	60	----	----	85	11	40	----	35	---	---	---	---	---	----
4	W. I. Andrews	1	26	137	108	20	16	173	26	85	----	78	---	---	---	---	5	4
5	J. F. Rathbun	2	39	265	157	80	48	393	35	97	5	136	---	5	3	---	4	3
6	Wm. Williams	1	17	94	70	8	15	100	17	----	20	49	---	---	---	---	2	----
7	J. W. Barrett	1	24	372	178	64	65	501	24	316	85	147	---	---	---	---	---	----
8	E. Pratt	1	10	76	25	----	5	81	10	35	5	17	---	---	---	---	2	1
9	George Ernst	1	19	113	62	10	24	147	11	39	42	40	---	---	---	---	---	1
10	E. E. Cheeseman	1	23	99	89	80	15	194	23	73	----	72	---	1	---	---	4	2
11	A. C Danforth	1	12	70	50	15	14	87	10	48	----	38	---	---	---	---	---	----
12	F. H. Lewis	2	28	161	90	68	21	250	28	50	----	109	---	---	---	---	3	1
13	George A. Comerford	2	23	105	70	----	----	105	17	10	2	40	---	---	---	---	3	1
14	C. H. Carter	1	14	85	46	2	25	112	14	----	30	58	---	---	---	---	3	1
15	W. J. Nesbit	1	18	130	50	21	----	151	18	76	2	37	---	---	---	---	2	----
16	J. S. Wilds	1	45	545	398	100	30	675	39	450	20	190	---	---	---	---	---	3
17	C. T. Holcombe	1	14	70	40	----	5	75	14	40	----	20	---	---	---	---	---	----
18	L. H. Robinson	1	5	35	25	----	50	85	5	14	6	10	---	---	---	---	---	----
19	M. A. Bartlett	4	12	110	90	----	----	110	11	30	2	40	---	---	---	---	---	----
20	J. D. Poppe	3	25	95	61	----	----	95	18	21	----	53	---	---	---	---	3	2
21	E. L. Shepard	1	17	124	78	----	36	160	15	55	3	78	---	---	---	---	---	1
22	W. P. Garrett	2	28	160	89	29	11	200	22	41	1	83	---	---	---	---	4	1
23	F. J Brown	2	25	61	40	----	----	61	23	25	3	12	---	---	---	---	---	----
24	L. M. Smith	2	21	118	63	19	33	165	20	55	14	32	---	---	---	---	---	----
25	A. M. Ash	1	7	35	25	----	----	35	3	----	----	15	---	---	---	---	---	----
26	W. H. Bury	1	20	165	89	----	----	165	20	87	24	75	---	---	---	---	4	----
27	Samuel Ferguson	1	10	48	48	----	----	48	10	----	----	26	---	---	---	---	1	----
28	N. A. Darling	2	31	175	94½	51	----	326	30	130	4	63	---	---	---	---	3	3
29	W. M. Holbrook	1	5	15	10	30	11	57	5	23	----	14	---	---	---	---	1	----
30	W. E. Kelley	2	22	112	70	----	20	132	17	65	15	60	---	---	---	---	1	----
31	H. W. P. Allen	2	18	68	38	----	----	68	10	54	----	24	---	---	---	---	---	----
32	B. F. Ceigler	2	35	260	50	106	30	260	35	150	----	50	2	3	---	---	---	2
33	John Calkins	1	17	67	40	100	13	180	17	58	----	35	---	---	---	---	2	----
34	K. W. Bradshaw	2	20	113	68	----	----	113	19	23	----	68	---	---	---	---	3	1
35	W. J. Hancock	1	34	218	163	120	25	363	28	175	5	110	---	---	---	---	---	1
36	C. H. Fenton	1	9	50	28	----	23	73	5	12	----	25	---	---	---	---	1	----
37	C. E. Miller	1	47	526	282	125	93	741	45	397	18	181	---	---	---	---	14	4
38	C. L. Peck	1	32	403	208	230	52	685	31	310	19	156	10	---	---	---	14	5
39	G. H. Nelson	1	20	280	127	61	50	391	20	155	25	145	---	---	---	---	3	----
40	E. J. Lavis	3	20	161	100	. .	14	175	17	75	----	50	---	---	---	---	3	----
	Totals	59	831	6229	3531	1373	784	8025	751	3398	354	2477	12	9	3	---	93	39

Pastoral Charges, 40.

WATERTOWN DISTRICT.

S. W. BROWN, Superintendent.

STATISTICS NO. 3.

No. of Charge	CHARGES	PASTOR'S SUPPORT					Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Sup'r'end'ts		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES				
		Salary Allowed	Salary Paid	House Rent	Total	Deficiencies	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church: Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc.	Sunday Schools; Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Pastors' Moving and Traveling Expenses.	Pastors' Donations	Total Insurance on Church Property
1	Alexandria Bay	850	850	200	1050		30	30	48	48	12	12	1140	200	85			5750
2	Antwerp	800	800	150	950		30	30	50	50	12	12	1042	290	70			6900
3	Barnes Corners	500	326	50	376	174	8		22	11	2	2	389	32	35			1500
4	Black River	800	800	150	950		35	35	50	50	12	12	1047	213	78			6400
5	Brownville and Dexter	700	700	100	800		29	12	50	50	12	12	874	209	136	36		8550
6	Cape Vincent	700	700	120	820		17	15	40	30	7	7	872	66	49	58		3500
7	Carthage	1100	1100	300	1400		66	66	88	88	21	21	1575	332	147		60	14500
8	Champion	475	475	75	550		7	7	30	30	5	6	592	85	17	17	60	2500
9	Chaumont	600	600	100	700		17	8	36	36	7	7	751	88	40			5000
10	Clayton	800	800	200	1000		28	18	48	48	12	12	1076	205	72			8300
11	Copenhagen	700	*562	75	637		24	11	40	40	9	9	704	182	38			4200
12	DePauville	650	650	100	750		20	20	30	30	8	8	808	177	109		20	6200
13	Edwards and South Edwards	700	687	50	737	13	24	24	40	40	8	8	809	260	40	6		5150
14	Evans Mills	650	650	120	770		18	18	33	33	8	8	829	125	58			3000
15	Felts Mills	600	600	100	700		15	15	25	25	5	5	749	92	37	17	40	4600
16	Gouverneur	1100	1100	300	1400		76	76	100	100	24	24	1600	1024	190		30	17100
17	Great Bend	800	800	75	875		15	15	32	32	7	7	929	100	20			2000
18	Grindstone	400	400	50	450		6	5	12	6	5		461	35	10	30	15	1800
19	Hailesboro and Natural Dam	725	725	†150	875		17	7	26	26	7	7	910	85	40			1000
20	Hammond	700	700	100	800		23	23	32	32	7	7	862	78	53			2800
21	Harrisville	700	700	100	800		28	18	40	30	9	9	857	86	78			5000
22	La Fargeville	800	800	100	900		31	31	46	46	11	9	986	115	83			4931
23	Macomb	550	550	50	600		13	13	27	27	6	6	646	62	12	15	25	3100
24	Natural Bridge and Woods	550	550	125	675		15	4	30	30	8	7	716	94	32			3000
25	OxBow	500	500	50	550		10	5	24	24	5	4	578	60	15			3642
26	Philadelphia	800	800	150	950		30	15	48	48	11	11	1014	240	75		35	6250
27	Pillar Point	450	450	50	500		12		22	22	5		525	125	26	3		3500
28	Plessis and Redwood	750	750	100	850		27	27	40	40	9	9	926	107	86		44	5200
29	Point Peninsula	400	322	36	358	78	2	2	14	14	3	3	377	15	15			2750
30	Richville	700	700	100	800		16	16	32	32	7	7	855	100	60			3800
31	Rodman	600	555	60	615	45	17	10	34	34	8	5	664	80	45	28		3500
32	Sackets Harbor	700	700	100	800		29	29	42	42	10	10	881	150	70			4800
33	St. Lawrence	550	550	120	670		15	15	30	30	6	6	721	56	35			9000
34	Sprague ville—Sommerville	600	600	75	675		19	19	26	26	5	5	725	65	68	5	43	4200
35	Theresa	800	800	200	1000		37	13	50	50	12	12	1075	232	110			8500
36	Three Mile Bay	267	267	75	342		8	1	24	24	4	2	369	83	25			3000
37	Watertown, Arsenal Street	1500	1500	500	2000		109	109	156	156	32	32	2297	1550	181			14470
38	Watertown, Asbury	1500	1500	300	1800		109	109	156	156	32	32	2097	1532	156			10000
39	Watertown, Bethany	700	710	200	910		29	29	36	36	8	8	983	345	145			6000
40	Thousand Island Park	900	900	125	1025		22	22	34	34	8	8	1089	50	50			5500
41																		
	Totals	28667	28219	5181	33300	310	1083	921	1743	1706	389	371	35299	9025	2681	215	372	220893

Pastoral Charges, 40 †Given by Mrs. Dean *9 Months Salary

WATERTOWN DISTRICT.

S. W. BROWN, Superintendent.

STATISTICS NO. 4.

No. of Charge.	PASTORS.	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS																					
		Missions						Board of Education		Board of Sunday Schools		Board of Confer'ce Claimants							W. H. M. S.				
		Foreign Missions			Home Missions and Church Extension																		
		Church	Sunday Schools	Special Gifts	Church	Sunday Schools	Special Gifts	Church, General Education	Children's Fund	Church	Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedmen's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Cash	Supplies	Other Benevolent Collections	Local Educational Interests	M. E. Hospital	Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension
1	A. J. Felshaw	56	21	-----	45	21	----	---	6	5	3	---	8	10	2	30	23	---	----	4	---	8
2	W. G. Atwell	51	26	-----	25	25	----	---	**10**	2	2	---	---	10	4	75	60	10	*41	4	---	12
3	A. R. Myers	----	----	-----	----	----	----	--	6	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
4	W. I. Andrews	80	52	60	51	52	----	---	10	5	5	---	---	13	13	118	103	30	----	5	10	9
5	J. F. Rathbun	77	15	-----	35	15	----	---	9	---	---	---	---	9	2	25	19	6	10	---	---	2
6	Wm. Williams	20	12	-----	19	12	4	---	4	---	---	---	---	4	2	---	---	---	---	---	2	---
7	J. W. Barrett	183	65	50	85	65	----	---	10	6	5	---	---	10	5	102	85	---	53	5	20	5
8	E. Pratt	19	3	-----	15	3	----	1	5	2	---	---	---	8	---	33	---	---	---	---	2	---
9	George Ernst	6	5	-----	6	4	----	---	3	1	---	---	---	1	1	---	32	---	---	2	---	---
10	E. E. Cheeseman	32	20	-----	32	20	----	1	3	1	1	---	---	3	1	34	40	---	---	---	---	1
11	A. C. Danforth	22	10	-----	20	7	----	3	---	2	---	---	---	---	1	11	25	---	---	---	---	---
12	F. H. Lewis	45	5	-----	41	5	----	---	11	---	10	2	---	11	4	42	46	---	4	2	1	9
13	George A. Comerford	20	---	-----	17	---	----	2	---	7	---	---	---	10	---	40	---	---	---	3	---	7
14	C. H. Carter	20	5	-----	26	5	----	3	---	---	---	---	---	2	---	---	36	---	---	---	---	2
15	W. J. Nesbitt	15	11	-----	5	12	----	---	---	---	---	2	---	5	---	13	---	---	---	---	2	6
16	J. S. Wilds	134	84	40	104	84	----	10	19	16	14	5	---	42	8	255	147	---	40	---	8	5
17	C. T. Holcombe	10	5	-----	10	5	----	1	5	1	1	---	---	1	1	---	---	---	33	---	---	---
18	L. H. Robinson	----	3	-----	----	3	----	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
19	M. A. Bartlett	10	---	-----	10	---	----	---	5	---	---	---	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
20	J. D. Poppe	30	10	-----	30	10	----	---	18	1	2	---	---	5	1	-----	87	29	4	---	8	9
21	E. L. Shepard	23	35	-----	16	34	----	---	8	---	2	---	---	8	3	36	55	---	15	---	7	5
22	W. P. Garrett	68	9	5	59	9	----	---	5	1	---	---	---	9	1	-----	64	---	----	4	---	3
23	F. J. Brown	18	4	-----	14	4	----	1	---	3	---	---	---	5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	3
24	L. M. Smith	10	2	-----	6	2	----	---	4	---	---	---	---	2	1	1	1	---	---	---	---	---
25	A. M. Ash	5	5	-----	5	5	----	---	---	1	---	---	---	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1
26	W. H. Bury	50	11	-----	43	12	----	---	---	2	---	---	---	4	---	15	47	3	---	1	---	5
27	Samuel Ferguson	8	5	-----	4	5	----	---	---	---	---	---	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
28	N. A. Darling	71	15	60	45	20	----	5	11	---	12	7	---	16	8	-----	96	40	5	10	10	12
29	W. M. Holbrook	9	---	-----	6	---	----	1	3	---	---	---	---	4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
30	W. E. Kelley	15	7	-----	11	7	----	---	11	---	2	---	---	2	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
31	H. W. P. Allen	46	2	140	28	2	----	1	6	-	1	---	---	5	---	30	---	---	---	---	---	---
32	B. F. Ceigler	20	9	-----	11	9	----	---	10	2	1	---	---	2	1	66	25	---	----	4	1	9
33	John Calkins	18	13	-----	17	13	----	4	3	3	2	---	---	5	2	-----	---	---	---	---	2	---
34	K. W. Bradshaw	40	15	-----	32	15	----	3	10	8	---	---	---	11	5	---	---	---	---	---	2	8
35	W. J. Hancock	57	25	-----	38	25	----	---	8	---	2	---	---	7	1	-----	63	---	15	---	---	5
36	C. H. Fenton	4	4	-----	4	4	----	---	4	1	---	---	---	2	1	---	---	---	---	1	---	1
37	C. E. Miller	216	84	98	138	84	----	30	28	10	---	15	---	45	7	196	183	87	465	---	10	35
38	C. L. Peck	177	75	-----	122	75	----	---	18	20	---	---	---	38	5	406	395	40	222	10	---	10
39	G. H. Nelson	39	48	-----	26	47	----	3	6	11	---	---	---	16	1	97	---	---	10	---	---	11
40	E. J. Lavis	37	13	-----	37	13	----	---	5	5	---	---	---	10	2	-----	35	---	----	5	---	8
	Totals	1746	739	453	1238	733	4	69	265	116	65	31	8	342	84	1625	1670	245	917	60	85	191

Pastoral Charges, 40. *Special gifts Foreign Missions.

AGGREGATE STATISTICS NO. 1.

DISTRICTS	Church Membership				Baptism		Sunday Schools			Epworth League				CHURCH PROPERTY						
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Church Property	Present Indebtedness on Church Property
Herkimer	410	5570	9	58	143	123	54½	699	6378	29	1206	17	505	59	363100	38	98400	10947	3817	15721
Oswego	351	6251	8	105	105	139	63	894	7378	32	1312	16	569	60½	397950	37	66400	6124	3505	23642
St. Lawrence	320	5114	8	88	372	117	63	779	5929	38	1324	20	515	67	379400	40	78500	8520	7476	13114
Utica	367	6454	11	96	123	107	56	831	6865	35	2394	17	551	58½	363475	35	77200	4988	1658	23512
Watertown	387	5562	11	86	198	165	59	837	8151	33	1335	17	562	54	326500	40	81100	44757	2279	17435
Totals	1885	28951	47	433	941	651	295½	4040	34701	167	7571	87	2702	299	1830725	190	401700	75336	18735	93424

AGGREGATE STATISTICS NO. 2.

DISTRICTS	SUNDAY SCHOOLS											MISCELLANEOUS					
	No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars of all Grades	Average Attendance of all Grades	No. of Members in the Home Department	No. of Children on the Cradle Roll	Total Enrollment in all Departments	No. of Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers	No. of Scholars, Whether Attendants or Members in Home Dept who are Church Members or Probationers	No. of Members of Sunday School Converted during the year	Current Expenses, Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Perm'nt Fund: Church	Perm'nt Fund: Pastor	Relief Fund: Church	Relief Fund: Pastor	General Conference Expenses	Central Office Expenses of Epworth League
Herkimer	54½	702	5184	2996	567	641	5972	706	2685	240	2292	---	10	30	3	78	42
Oswego	63	869	6322	3592	500	513	6808	721	3064	166	2560	3	12	95	9	50	47
St. Lawrence	63	776	5199	3267	324	455	5860	579	1890	192	2286	5	---	3	---	110	38
Utica	56	831	5609	3015	613	643	6865	777	1978	262	3214	34	5	66	---	89	53
Watertown	59	831	6229	3531	1373	784	8025	751	3398	354	2477	12	9	3	---	93	39
Totals	295½	4009	28543	16401	3377	3036	33520	3534	13015	1214	12829	54	43	197	12	420	219

AGGREGATE STATISTICS NO. 3.

DISTRICTS	PASTOR'S SUPPORT					Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Sup'r'end'ts		Support of Bishops		CURRENT EXPENSES					
	Salary Allowed	Salary Paid	House Rent	Total	Deficiencies	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	Church; Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc.	Sunday Schools; Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Pastors' Moving and Traveling Expenses.	Pastors' Donations	Total Insurance on Church Property
Herkimer	29370	29640	5191	34831	92	1100	1087	1999	1991	377	369	38215	9574	2400	378	582	255725
Oswego	26373	26282	4295	30577	244	1282	1102	1633	1619	444	431	33720	10104	2567	214	489	278881
St. Lawrence	29108	29119	4816	33935	105	1032	951	1810	1806	372	360	37061	7746	2279	245	699	248776
Utica	26754	26634	4345	30979	179	1237	1149	1850	1836	428	429	34393	10638	2984	280	469	279200
Watertown	28667	28219	5181	33300	310	1083	921	1743	1706	389	371	35299	9025	2681	215	372	220893
Totals	140272	139894	23828	163622	930	5737	5210	9035	8958	2010	1960	178688	47087	12911	1332	2611	1283475

AGGREGATE STATISTICS NO. 4.

DISTRICTS	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS																			
	Missions						Board of Education	Board of Sunday Schools		Board of Confer'ce Claimants					W. H. M. S.					
	Foreign Missions			Home Missions and Church Extension																
	Church	Sunday Schools	Special Gifts	Church	Sunday Schools	Special Gifts	Church, General Education	Children's Fund	Church	Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedmen's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Cash	Supplies	Other Benevolent Collections	Local Educational Interests	M. E. Hospital	Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension
Herkimer	2029	763	1287	1704	761	13	53	332	134	75	30	10	430	110	1645	1179	168	904	130	63	478
Oswego	1922	601	631	2239	587	30	27	347	50	44	26	3	260	49	9443	9513	433	1318	36	45	263
St. Lawrence	1675	528	161	1402	528		33	264	66	67	2	13	357	40	969	922	139	637	53	74	166
Utica	1516	784	525	1382	648	9	67	338	76	62	25	3	333	75	1383	1135	180	864	73	76	474
Watertown	1746	739	453	1238	733	4	69	265	116	65	31	8	342	84	1625	1670	245	917	60	85	191
Totals	8888	3415	3057	7965	3257	56	249	1545	442	313	114	37	1722	358	15065	14419	1165	4640	352	343	1572

POST OFFICE DIRECTORY

OF THE

MEMBERS, PROBATIONERS, SUPPLIES, LOCAL PREACHERS, AND WIDOWS OF DECEASED MEMBERS.

NOTE—The abbreviations here used are: P. C., Preacher in Charge; Sup., Superannuated; Sy., Supernumerary; D. S., District Superintendent; Stu., Student; Sec. Secretary.

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I. MEMBERS OF CONFERENCE.

Joined on Probation	Name	Relation	P. O. Address
1890	Alexander, T. Franklin	P. C.	Utica
1863	Allen, Henry W. P.	P. C.	Rodman, Jefferson
1903	Andrews, Wesley I.	P. C.	Black River, Jefferson
1886	Arthur, Frank E.	P. C.	St. Johnsville, Montgomery
1893	Atwell, William G.	P. C.	Antwerp, Jefferson
1901	Aubrey, William D.	P. C.	Chateaugay, Franklin
1882	Austin, Alfred G.	P. C.	Colton, St. Lawrence
1856	Aylesworth, David W.	Sup.	Westmoreland, Oneida
1869	Ball, Wilson F.	Sup.	Massena, St. Lawrence
1864	Barnes, Sidney O.	Sup.	5 Grover St., Auburn
1896	Barrett, Joseph W.	P. C.	Carthage, Jefferson
1905	Bartlett, Marcus A.	P. C.	Gouverneur, St. Lawrence
1894	Bayliss, R. F.	P. C.	St. Regis Falls, Franklin
1903	Beale, Frank	P. C.	Hamilton, Madison
1864	Bennett, Henry W.	Sup.	Ilion, Herkimer
1875	Benson, J. George	P. C.	Fort Covington, Franklin
1874	Bent, George W.	Sup.	Hubbardston, Worcester, Mass.
1862	Bramley, Alexander	Sup.	Brockport, Monroe
1861	Brooks, Charles W.	Sup.	Sandy Creek. Oswego
1857	Brown, Samuel E.	Sup.	Pulaski, Oswego
1880	Brown, Smith W.	D. S.	510 Clay St., Watertown
1892	Brown, Ulysses E.	P. C.	Richfield Springs, Otsego
1846	Bruce, Eli C.	Sup.	1531 Grape Street, Syracuse
1873	Bury, William H.	P. C.	Philadelphia, Jefferson
1900	Caldwell, William M.	P. C.	Frankfort, Herkimer
1856	Call, Samuel	Sup.	759 Irving Avenue, Syracuse
1887	Campbell, Hobart L.	P. C.	Cherry Valley, Otsego
1891	Carley, Silas G.	P. C.	Burke, Franklin
1902	Carey, Henry J.	P. C.	Belleville, Jefferson
1906	Carter, Chas. H.	P. C.	R. D. 6, Oswego
1904	Ceigler, Berton F.	P. C.	Copenhagen, Lewis
1895	Chapman, Joseph A.	P. C.	Herkimer, Herkimer
1863	Chase, W. Dempster	Sec.	135 Seymour Ave. Utica
1861	Cheeseman, Edwin S.	Sup.	Theresa. Jefferson
1883	Cheeseman, Elliott E.	P. C.	Clayton, Jefferson
1906	Churchill, Frank N.	P. C.	New Haven, Oswego
1903	Comerford, Geo. A.	P. C.	Edwards, St. Lawrence
1900	Corbin, Aaron B.	P. C.	New York Mills, Oneida
1891	Culligan, John C.	P. C.	Jordanville, Herkimer
1904	Curtis, Frederick G.	P. C.	Henderson, Jefferson
1900	Darling, Norman A.	P. C.	Plessis, Jefferson
1895	Davis, Judson	Sy.	Verona, Oneida
1905	Davis, Sylvanus S.	P. C.	Adams, Jefferson
1902	Davis, Herbert E.	P. C.	Brainardsville, Franklin
1872	Davy, Leonard L.	Sup.	R. D. 2, Oswego
1895	Day, Elmer E.	Sy.	2113 Arapaho Ave., Boulder, Colo.
1906	Day, J. Frank	P. C.	Tupper Lake, St. Lawrence
1849	Dewey, Sanger	Sup.	Constableville, Lewis
1878	Dibble, Stephen T.	P. C.	109 Caroline Street, Ogdensburg
1894	Dowd, Matthew H.	P. C.	Moira, Franklin
1890	Duesler, Marshall	P. C.	Vernon Center, Oneida
1901	English, William H.	P. C.	Massena, St. Lawrence
1879	Ernst, George	P. C.	Chaumont, Jefferson
1878	Ernst, Henry	P. C.	Whitesboro, Oneida

1868 Fairhead, George B.....Sup.....New York Mills, Oneida
1882 Felshaw, Abner J.....P. C.....Alexandria Bay, Jefferson
1891 Ferguson, Raymond H.....P. C.....West Winfield, Herkimer
1855 Fisk, Samuel M.....Sup.....Solsville, Madison
1861 Flint, Robert .....Sup.....Black River, Jefferson
1899 Fretz, Jordan R.....P. C.....Sauquoit, Oneida
1882 Fritts, Harry B.....P. C.....East Hamilton, Madison
1896 Fulton, Frederick J.....P. C.....Redfield, Oswego

1906 Gabriel, Basil R.....P. C.....Heuvelton, St. Lawrence
1889 Garrett, William P.....P. C.....LaFargeville, Jefferson
1907 Gardner, William A.....P. C.....Martinsburg, Lewis
1902 Gearhart, Clyde M.....P. C.....Mohawk, Herkimer
1871 Goodwin, William C.....Sup.....Moline, Elk Co., Kansas
1866 Grant, Leroy .....Sup.....R. F. D. No. 1 McGraw, Cortland
1871 Gray, Lemuel B.....P. C.....Leonardsville, Herkimer
1882 Greenfield, Samuel J.....P. C.....Ilion, Herkimer
1908 Griffiths, Frederick R.....P. C.....Bombay, Franklin
1906 Griggs, Leroy A.....P. C.....Oriskany Falls, Oneida

1880 Hall, Julius E.....Sup.....Sidney, Delaware Co.
1877 Hall, William H.....Sup.....R. F. D. No. 2, Parish, Oswego
1865 Hammond, Jonathan B.....P. C.....Clinton, Oneida
1888 Hancock, William J.....P. C.....Theresa, Jefferson
1890 Hand, Alonzo .....P. C..... Orwell, Oswego
1908 Harries, Alfred .....P. C.....Steuben, Oneida
1894 Hart, William J.....P. C..... Utica
1901 Harvey, Frederick M.....Stu.....72 Mt. Vernon St., Boston, Mass.
1899 Haven, Clarence V.....P. C.....Mannsville, Jefferson
1891 Haven, Willis A.....P. C.....Earlville, Madison
1868 Helms, William R. .....Sup.....Norfolk, St. Lawrence
1864 Hesselgrave, Henry .....Sup.....203 Huntington Ave., Buffalo
1887 Higby, Jasper W.....Sup.....Black River, Jefferson
1870 Holbrook, William M.....Sup.....2135 Washington St., Lincoln Neb.
1906 Holcombe, Charles T.....P. C.....Great Bend, Jefferson
1896 Holmes, Howard D.....P. C.....New Hartford, Oneida
1894 Houghton. Oren J.....Sy. .....Wiscoy, Allegany
1882 Hughs, Hardin M. ....Sy. .....McComb, Oklahoma
1902 Hydon. William M.....P. C.....Sandy Creek, Oswego
1904 Hughes, Henry .....P. C.....Hannibal, Oswego

1891 Jago, Henry W.....P. C.....Madrid, St. Lawrence
1908 Jennings, Asa K. .....Y. M. C. A., Utica
1889 Johnson. Duane C.....P. C..... Watertown
1885 Joy, Eugene H.....P. C..... Oswego
1904 Jones, R. Eurog.....P. C.....R. D. 1, Fulton

1876 Kanoff, William H.....Sup.....1471 So. Salina St., Syracuse
1886 Kelley, Orson M.....P. C.....Watson, Lewis
1899 Kelly, William E. .....P. C.....Richville, St. Lawrence
1861 Kinney. Melvin D.....Sup.....1000 Island Park, Jefferson
1891 Knapp, Florello L.....P. C..... Oswego

1908 Laird, John .....P. C.....Vernon, Oneida
1894 Lavis, Edward J.....P. C.....1000 Island Park, Jefferson
1908 Lawyer, Wellington J.....P. C.....Ava, Oneida
1899 Lewis, Fred H.....P. C.....DePauville, Jefferson
1893 Lobb, Joseph .....P. C.....Taberg, Oneida
1883 Loucks, Albert C. .....P. C.....Canton, St. Lawrence

1894 Markham. Herbert W.....P. C.....Camden, Oneida
1862 Markham, Wilbur F.....Sup.....Herkimer, Herkimer
1888 Marsh. William D.....P. C.....Little Falls
1896 Matthews, James .....P. C.....Boonville, Oneida
1898 Maunder, Frederick .....P. C.....Pulaski, Oswego
1866 MacClenthen. Thomas H....Sup.....Jonesville, Saratoga
1896 MacClenthen. William H. ..P. C..... Watertown
1882 Merritt, George .....P. C.....Ohio, Herkimer
1891 Middleton, Charles J.....P. C.....Rensselaer Falls, St. Lawrence
1888 Miller, Benjamin G.....P. C.....Trenton. Oneida
1891 Miller, Charles A.....P. C.....Westmoreland, Oneida
1885 Miller, Charles E. .....D. S..... Rose, N.Y.
1907 Miller, C. Frederick.....P. C.....Minetto, Oswego
1898 Miller, Frederick A.....P. C.....308 S. Fourth St., Fulton
1889 Moore, W. Herbert.....P. C.....Bangor, St. Lawrence

1875 Nourse, Irving J.....Sup.....316 W. Court St., Rome
1904 Nelson, George H.....P. C.....Watertown, Jefferson
1908 Nesbitt, William J. .....P. C.....Racket River, St. Lawrence
1908 Nunn, Robert A.....P. C.....West Stockholm, St. Lawrence

1891 Page, Alfred E.....Sy. .....Potsdam, St. Lawrence
1871 Palmer, Albert P.....P. C.....Waterville, Oneida

1894 Peck, Charles L.....P. C.....Fulton
1896 Pennock, Arthur F.....P. C.....Madison, Madison
1879 Phelps, Dallas L.....Sup.....Chaumont, Jefferson
1876 Pierce, David F.....D. S.....21 Brinckerhoff Ave., Utica
1906 Poppe, John D.....P. C.....Hammond, St. Lawrence
1905 Pullen, William H.....P. C.....Beaver Falls, Lewis
1870 Purington, William F.....Sy.....Madison, Madison

1886 Rathbun, Jesse F.....P. C.....Brownville, Jefferson
1908 Raymond, Oliver E.....P. C.....Prospect, Herkimer
1875 Reynolds, Willis E.....Sy.....Adams, Jefferson
1900 Robinson, Clark A.....P. C.....Salisbury Center, Herkimer
1906 Robson, David E.....P. C.....Depeyster, St. Lawrence
1850 Roe, Austin M.....Sup.....510 Academy St., Fulton

1879 Sanford, Byram G.....Sy.....New Albany, Pa.
1903 Sarver, Sidney J.....Marsh Hill, Pa.
1904 Scott, Ernest H.....P. C.....Rome
1906 Scott, Alexander .....P. C.....R. D., Ogdensburg
1908 Schorge, Frederick C. .....P. C.....Constantia, Oswego
1908 Scouten, Roy W. .....P. C.....Morristown, St. Lawrence
1894 Severance, Frank B.....P. C.....Lowville, Lewis
1904 Sheffield, Roy K.....P. C.....McConellsville, Oneida
1893 Shepard, Edmund L.....P. C.....Harrisville, Lewis
1893 Shepherd, George F.....P. C.....Mexico, Oswego
1858 Shepherd, Thomas B.....Sup.....Oswego
1876 Short, John L.....Sup.....Camden, Oneida
1858 Short, Samuel .....Sup.....Racket River, St. Lawrence
1884 Sill, Matthew D.....P. C.....Malone, Franklin
1860 Smith, Asa L.....Sup.....Norfolk, St. Lawrence
1887 Smith, Charles M.....P. C.....Turin, Lewis
1891 Smith, Isaac C. .....P. C.....North Lawrence, St. Lawrence
1877 Smith, Richard J.....Sy.....Owego, Tioga
1881 Snyder, B. DeForest.....Sup.....Mannsville, Jefferson
1890 Stallwood, Jabez .....P. C.....Potsdam, St. Lawrence
1880 Stanford, Francis B.....Sup.....R. D. 1, Oriskany, Oneida
1900 Stokes, Samuel H.....P. C.....Hermon, St. Lawrence
1885 Story, Theron A.....P. C.....Brasher Falls, St. Lawrence
1896 Sullivan, William A.....P. C.....Newport, Herkimer
1885 Summers, William H.....P. C.....Nicholville, St. Lawrence
1907 Swartz, Benton S. .....167 Sands St., Brooklyn

1888 Thomas, James M.....P. C.....Port Leyden, Lewis
1887 Thomas, William .....P. C.....Remsen, Oneida
1856 Tisdale, William L.....Sup.....New Hartford, Oneida
1893 Topping, Edward B.....P. C.....Rome
1883 Townsend, Charles C.....D. S.....Potsdam, St. Lawrence

1864 VanValkenburg, Isaac B....Sup.....Morrisville, R. D. 2, Madison

1908 Wallace, Charles B.....P. C.....Forestport, Oneida
1882 Walton, Charles H.....P. C.....Utica
1894 Warren, Adelbert .....P. C.....Verona, Oneida
1871 Waugh, H. Eugene.....Sup.....34 Eagle St., Utica
1869 Webster, Anson D.....Sup.....Oriskany Falls, Oneida
1877 Weed, Truman .....Sup65 Charles Field St., Providence, R. I.
1908 Wells, Theophilus .....P. C.....Evans Mills, Jefferson
1876 Whipple, Robert F..... Sup.....276 East Av., Brockport, Monroe
1894 Wilds, John S.....P. C.....Gouverneur, St. Lawrence
1902 Wilkinson, George A.....P. C.....DeKalb Jct., St. Lawrence
1894 Williams, George H.....P. C.....Norwood, St. Lawrence
1873 Williams, William .....P. C.....Cape Vincent, Jefferson
1890 Wilmshurst, Walter G.....P. C.....Dolgeville, Herkimer
1859 Wood, Benjamin F.....Sup.....120 S. Rutland St., Watertown

1882 Wood, George W.....Sup.....Cleveland, Oswego
1905 Woodley, Charles E.....P. C.....Norfolk, St. Lawrence

1908 Zeiders, Harry T.....Stu.....Madison, N. J.
1892 Zimmerman, Albert H.....P. C.....Utica

II. PROBATIONERS.

1909 Budd, Albert E. .....Louisville, St. Lawrence
1910 Bradshaw, William K.....Sprague ville, Jefferson
1909 Campbell, Harry C.....Waddington, St. Lawrence
1909 Darling, Arthur E.....Brookfield, Madison
1909 Dunning, Frank W.....Williamstown, Oswego
1909 Eades, Herbert E.....Constableville, Lewis
1910 Fox, Hamilton P.....Cleveland, Oswego
1910 Judd, Albert G. .....Middleville, Herkimer
1909 Loan, Francis E.....Pierrepont, St. Lawrence
1909 Moody, Arthur E.....Parish, Oswego
1908 Neyroz, Ottavio B. .....Utica, Oneida

1909 Owens, Spencer B.....R. D. 4, Mexico, Oswego
1910 Oleson, Chris J. .....Deansboro, Oneida
1910 Putnam, Ray W.....Clayville, Oneida
1910 Sypher, J. Alvin.....Starkville, Herkimer
1909 Thomas, Charles N.....Lorraine, Jefferson
1905 Thomas, Benjamin .....Steuben, Oneida

III. SUPPLIES.

Ash, A. M. .....Deacon.....Ox Bow, Jefferson
Ashforth, W. J. .....Knoxboro, Oneida
Brashear, W. M. .....Cold Brook, Herkimer
Brown, F. J. .....Brazie Corners, St. Lawrence
Calkins, John .....Deacon .....St. Lawrence, Jefferson
Clemens, W. T. .....Pennellville, Oswego
Conklin, R. W. .....New London, Oneida
Cramer, W. C. .....Elder.....Sacketts Harbor, Jefferson
Crosby, M. J. .....241 Steuben St., Utica
Dermott, George .....Deacon.....Lee Center, Oneida
Evans, Evan .....Central Square, Oswego
Fenton, C. H. .....Florence, Oswego
Fulton, C. M. .....Poland, Herkimer
Fairchild, W. T. .....Parishville, St. Lawrence
Gardner, Davis .....Elder.....Felts Mills, Jefferson
Green, R. P. .....Chasm Falls, Franklin
Green, A. J. .....Constable, Franklin
Haven, D. C. .....Elder..R. F. D. Sandy Creek, Oswego
Haven, F. E. .....R. F. D. Ogdensburg
Harland, G. R. .....Rackett River, St. Lawrence
Johnston, J. J. .....Amboy Center, Oswego
Kennedy, S. L. .....Altmar, Oswego
Lawrence, A. A. .....Russell, St. Lawrence
Leonard, G. W. .....Floyd, Oneida
Myers, A. R. .....Barnes Corners, Lewis
Nichols, B. L. .....Lassellsville, Fulton
Oke, J. J. .....Hogansburg, Franklin
Pratt, Erastus .....R. D. 3, Carthage, Jefferson
Robinson, L. H. .....Grindstone, Jefferson
Scloop, Arthur .....R. D. Frankfort, Herkimer
Shaw, W. J. .....Elder.....Lowell, Oneida
Smith, D. R. .....Ellisburg, Jefferson
Smith, L. M. .....Deacon....Natural Bridge, Jefferson
Stimson, W. H. .....Pillar Point, Jefferson
Tagg, John .....Bucksbridge, St. Lawrence
Webster, A. O. .....Northwestern, Oneida
Wilcox, P. O.....Fernwood, Oswego
Williams, Thomas J. .....North Mexico, Oswego
Wilson, J. W. .....North Bay, Oneida

IV. LOCAL PREACHERS (NOT APPOINTED TO A CHARGE.)

BLACK RIVER DISTRICT.

Barnes, Orrin, Licen.....Plessis
Casler, Harvey, Elder...Watertown
Chapman, E. A., Licen., Watertown
Clark, Jas. F., Licen., Constableville
Fitch, Warren R., Deacon, Lowville
Kline, Reuben, Deacon, Port Leyden
Lepper, O. H., Licen Sackets Harbor
Phillips, T. H., Licen....Watertown
Satchwell, Geo. E. Deacon Watertown
Steele, Glen G., Licen..Philadelphia
Total 10

MOHAWK DISTRICT.

Beach, Maynard, Mt. Hermon, Mass.
Crouch, Floy C.....New York Mills
Ferguson, C. H., Deacon.....
.....R. D. 2, Frankfort
Hardendorf, Levi, Lic. Cherry Valley
Johnson, Fenton .....Utica
King, Rufus E., Elder.....Ilion
Quackenbush, W. M.....Prospect
Total 7

ONTARIO DISTRICT.

Clinch, Chas. .....Vernon
Richmond, I. P., Deacon.....Verona
Simmons, W. H., Deacon....Oswego
Suits, Walter, Licen. McConnellsville
Young, William, Deacon.....Oswego
Total 5

ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT.

Austin, C. B., Deacon...Gouverneur
Brasee, C. H.....Rensselaer Falls
Buell, William A.....R. D., Malone
McLellan, Norman, Elder..Massena
Penny, A. J. Licen.....DeKalb Jct.
Russell, G. W., Licen...So. Bombay
Terrance, Frank .....Malone
Todd, Reuben H. .....Malone
Total 8

V. WIDOWS OF DECEASED MEMBERS.

Abbott, Nora M.	Widow of	Henry C. .....712 Oneida St., Fulton
Beck, Elizabeth A.	"	Franklin H. 1223W. 25th St., Los Angeles, Cal
Beebee, Clarissa E.	"	Charles E. .....Brownville, Jefferson
Boyd, Alice O.	"	Squire Boyd .....Middlesex, Yates
Brooks, Melissa C.	"	Jonatha G. .....Oneonta, Otsego
Briggs, Eleanor G.	"	Ebenezer .....Sanford, Maine
Brown, Libbie L.	"	William F. .....Berlin, Wis.
Buck, Jane Helen	"	James H. .....601 E. Genesee St., Syracuse
Cobb, R. Jennie	"	William R. .....112 Lionel Ave., Solvay
Corse, Caroline G.	"	Albert E. .....1717 W. Genesee St., Syracuse
Cottrell, Harriet E.	"	Andrew J. .....North Cohocton, Steuben
Cowles, Marion J.	"	A. Johnson .....184 S. Third St., Fulton
Danforth, Lucy D.	"	Albert C. .....Watertown
Darling, Frances B.	"	Josiah C. .....218 W. Colvin St., Syracuse
Davidson, Helen Oakes	"	William C. .....Holland Patent, Oneida
Dillenbeck, Sally	"	William F. .....Antwerp, Jefferson
Dorr, Julia A.	"	Charles E. .....6 State Place, Watertown
Ferguson, Helen D.	"	John V. .....90 Brinckerhoff Ave., Utica
Fuller, Sarah H.	"	Spencer R. ..519 Second Ave., Detroit, Mich.
Guile, Amelia B.	"	Charles H. .....Pulaski, Oswego
Harris, Julia E.	"	Heman A. .....422 William St., Rome
Hastings, Sarah E.	"	George S. .....908 Salina St., Watertown
Higby, Mary A.	"	Carlton N., 3315 Pillsbury Ave., Minneapolis
Hill, Jennie M.	"	Morrell T. .....413 Academy St., Watertown
Holmes, Mary A.	"	Othniel, 1633 Second Ave., Cedar Rapids, Ia.
Ingersoll, Nellie	"	Webster .....Hill View, Warren
Jones, Maria	"	Erasmus W., care of Geo. P. Northup, Sauquoit, Oneida
Kay, Julia V.	"	James R., 269 Ramona St., Pasadena, Cal.
Kenyon, Ann Eliza	"	Sardius F. .....North Platte, Neb.
Knapp, Lovina	"	David P. .....Colfax, Wis.
LeClair, Matilda	"	Alexander .....Lynden, Wash.
Lent, Mary L.	"	Wyatt C. .....Madrid, St. Lawrence.
Locke, M. Annie	"	Albert W. .....Madoc, Ontario, Canada
Longstreet, Margaret M.	"	Joseph B. .....Mexico, Oswego
Markham, Carrie N.	"	Adma G. .....Frankfort, Herkimer
Marvin, Mary A. T.	"	Lyman E. ..2253 Carter Ave., St. Paul, Minn.
Merrifield, Maria H.	"	William .....Lysander, Onondaga
Miller, Maria R.	"	R. Allen .....473 Virginia St., Buffalo
Moore, Florilla F.	"	Gordon .....Adams, Jefferson
Myers, Mary B.	"	Julian H. .....103 Comstock Ave., Syracuse
Nichols, Joanna J.	"	William A. .....Norwood, St. Lawrence
Noulton, Mary E.	"	Levi B. .....Lowville, Lewis
Palmer, Maria W.	"	Lucius L. ....153 Willoughby Ave., Brooklyn
Peaslee, Martha A.	"	Isaac D. .....Cooperstown, Otsego
Phelps, Ella L.,	"	Brayton M., ...Chaumont, Jefferson
Phelps, Mary E.	"	Chamberlayne .....Butler, N. J.
Pierce, Martha M.		F. Kingsley.....Ilion, Herkimer
Salisbury, Marietta H.	"	George H. .....Wolcott, Wayne
Seymour, Helen A.	"	Myron G. .....Sandy Creek, Oswego
Sheard, Francis	"	Charles .....Canton, St. Lawrence
Sherman, Carrie B.	"	Reuben .....Mexico, Oswego
Simpson, Esther A.	"	John W. .....Norwood, St. Lawrence
Smith, Mary E.	"	William .....R. F. D. No. 2, East Syracuse
Snowdon, Maggie R.	"	Stewart E..... 306 Winslow St., Watertown
Tooke, Adelia E.	"	Wesley F. .....Southold, Long Island
Van Camp, Minnie E.	"	Cornelius H. .....Lansdowne, Ont.
Vernon, Emily F. B.	"	Leroy M. .....1022 So. Salina St., Syracuse
Warn, Catherine A.	"	Samuel M. ..R. D. 1, Adams Center Jefferson
Warner, Susanna E.	"	Albert R. .....South New Berlin, Chenango
Wells, Lucinda L.	"	Alonzo .....North Lawrence, St. Lawrence
Wright, Elizabeth H.	"	John T. .....291 Elm St., Westfield, N. J.

APPENDIX

Historical Register

COVERING SEVENTY-FOUR YEARS

The last historical register of the Conference was printed in the Minutes of 1900. The following is a continuation of that list to the close of the Conference year in 1909. It includes all the names of members of the Black River Conference (from September 1, 1836 to April 16, 1873—thirty-seven years) and of the Northern New York Conference (from April 16, 1873, to April 19, 1909—thirty-seven years).

Part I is intended to contain the names of all who have ceased to be members, either by death, transfer, change of boundaries, withdrawal, location, discontinuance or other causes. The year when the name first appears on the list and the year when it last appears are given. Unless otherwise stated, the person was admitted on probation, and if not received into full connection is marked "discontinued."

Part II includes all the names on the Conference roll of 1909.

To ascertain the data for this list the following blank was sent to each member:

NORTHERN NEW YORK CONFERENCE

FOR THE HISTORICAL REGISTER

The Conference at its session in 1909 directed the secretaries to prepare a historical register to be published in the minutes of 1910. Following the plan of 1900, this register will include all who have been, or are now, members of the Northern New York Conference. That we may have your record correct, please answer the following items fully. Any further historical information, not included in this blank, please add at the close. A prompt reply will greatly aid us in our work.

WILLIAM G. ATWELL,
CHARLES T. HOLCOMBE,
Secretaries.
Antwerp, N. Y., Sept. 20, 1909

1.—Name in full, (not initials) .....

2.—If ever licensed to exhort, state,
Date .....
Place .....
By what pastor or P. E.? .....

3.—Local Preacher's license,
Date .....
Place (charge) .....
By what P. E. or District Conference? .....

4.—Date when admitted on trial .....
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Into what Conference? .....

5.—If transferred—from and to what Conference, with date?.....
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6.—If discontinued and readmitted, give date of each .....
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7.—Date when admitted to full connection .....
What Conference? .....
8.—Ordination: (1) As Deacon, Date .....
Bishop .....
(2) As Elder, Date .....
Bishop .....

9.—Give a complete chronological record of your ministerial work in this or any other Conference, or in any denomination. Include the years in which you have been Supernumerary or Superannuated; a Supply, an Assistant, Agent, Evangelist, Secretary, Professor, Chaplain in the Army, Navy, Prison or Soldiers' Home, or Student, after joining Conference .....
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10.—Where educated? .....
11.—What degrees have you,—with name of college or other institution?
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Additional .....
Date .....
Signed .....

Responses were received from one hundred and seventy members. From these replies and from the records of the Annual Minutes the register has been compiled.

SUMMARY.

(Adjournment of Conference, 1909).

Total members and probationers (seventy-four years)		813
1. Charter members of Black River Conference	47	
2. Received: (1) On probation	631	
(2) By transfer	90	
(3) By change of boundaries	45	
Taken from the roll		599
1. By death	227	
2. By location	93	
3. By transfer	130	
4. Discontinued while probationers	72	
5. By change of boundaries	36	
6. Withdrawn	31	
7. Expelled, suspended or deposed.	10	
Members (April 19, 1909)	189	
Probationers	25	
		214

Historical Register—Part I.

CONTAINING THE NAMES OF THOSE WHO HAVE CEASED TO BE MEMBERS

* Central New York Conference by change of boundaries.
† Four years in Central New York Conference by change of boundaries.
¶ Northern New York Conference by change of boundaries in 1872.

Abbott, Henry C., 1859—1905, deceased March 29, 1905. (Date of death in memoir is erroneous).
Adams, Aaron, 1836-80,† charter member, deceased May 9, 1879.
Adams, George W., 1890-92, transferred to Genesee Conference.
Adams, John D., 1855-69, transferred to Central New York Conference.
Adkins, Loren L., 1836-68.*
Albro, Addis, 1890-93, received by transfer from Central Illinois Conference, and transferred to New York East Conference.
Alden, Byron, 1829-1905, deceased May 4, 1904.
Alden, Justin T., 1842-65, deceased August 29, 1864.
Aldrich, Asahel, 1849, discontinued.
Allen, Charles F., 1893-95, discontinued.
Allen, Eli W. R., 1836-64, charter member, deceased, March 3, 1864.
Allen, Stephen, 1837-39, transferred to Troy Conference.
Allen, Theodore L., 1874-80, withdrawn.
Allen, William O., 1898-1902, transferred to the Vermont Conference.
Alley, John, 1842-45, received by transfer from Troy Conference, and elected Bishop by the Methodist Episcopal Church of Canada.
Andrus, Frank G., 1906-1909, discontinued.
Annable, William H., 1862-68.*
Armstrong, John W., 1842-50, transferred to Oneida Conference, 1855 returned, 1855-68.*
Arnold, Charles M., 1862-66, located.
Arnold, Ebenezer, 1838-1901, received by transfer from the Indiana Conference, deceased December 2, 1900.
Arnold, Josiah, 1840-52, located.
Arthur, Horatio, 1853-60, located.
Ashford, William, 1887-99, transferred to Rock River Conference.
Austin, Charles H., 1837, discontinued; 1842-66, located.
Austin, Daniel, 1853-79,† located.
Austin, Jehiel, 1829-88, withdrawn under charges.
Axtell, Nathan G., 1861-63, received by transfer, located.
Babcock, Charles E., ¶1873-89, transferred to Central New York Conference.
Baird, Joseph, 1874-84, transferred to New York East Conference.
Baker, Gardner, 1836-78, charter member, deceased August 12, 1877.
Baker, Greenleaf G., 1861-62, discontinued.
Baldwin, Charles, 1853-68.*
Ball, Silas, 1855-68.*
Bannister, Edward, 1842-45, transferred to Oneida Conference.
Barber, Robert N., 1844-87, deceased May 20, 1886.
Barker, Benjamin F., ¶1873-78, transferred to Central New York Conference.
Barker, Peleg, 1851-62, withdrawn.
Barnard, Daniel, 1839-57, located.
Barnes, Enoch, 1836-42, charter member, withdrawn.
Barnes, James B., 1853-68, located.
Barney, Godfrey W., 1836-64, charter member, deceased May 12, 1863.
Barter, Abel S., 1855-1908, deceased June 9, 1907.
Bassett, Charles H., 1890-94, transferred to Newark Conference.
Beach, Lyman, ¶1873-80, deceased January 30, 1880.
Beck, Franklin H., 1860-1906, deceased July 8, 1905.
Beebe, Charles E., 1855-95,† deceased December 2, 1894.
Beebee, Raslus O., ¶1873-84, deceased March 8, 1884.
Bell, Lewis, 1836-38, charter probationer, discontinued.
Bennett, Charles W., 1879-89, received by transfer from Central New York Conference, and transferred to West Wisconsin Conference.
Bennett, Matthew, 1842-46, located.
Bennett, Philo S., 1838-49, transferred to Wisconsin Conference.
Best, William T., 1896-1909, transferred to the Vermont Conference.
Bibbins, Samuel, 1836, charter member, deceased January 6, 1836, before the meeting of the first session.
Bigelow, Andrew F., 1844-64, located; 1869, readmitted; 1869-88, deceased September 20, 1887.
Billings, James, 1855, discontinued.
Bingham, Isaac S., 1843-93, deceased April 20, 1893.
Blackman, Almanzo, 1836-98, charter member, deceased August 22, 1897.
Blanchard, William H., 1850-57, deceased January 23, 1857.
Bovard, Melville Y., 1893-1901, received by transfer from the New York East Conference, dismissed by transfer to the New York East Conference.
Bowdish, William S., 1836-42, charter member, expelled.
Bowen, Charles M., 1854-97,† deceased November 22, 1896.
Boyd, Squire, 1865-1907, deceased August 18, 1906.
Bradshaw, Thomas P., 1874-84, received from Methodist Episcopal Church of Canada, and transferred to Nevada Conference.
Bragdon, Edmund E. E., 1842-53, transferred to New York Conference; 1858 returned; 1858-62, deceased March 20 ,1862.
Bragg, John, 1887-1904, deceased Mar. 17, 1904.
Brasie, William H., 1908-1909, discontinued.
Briggs, Ebenezer, 1857-1891, deceased March 1, 1891.

Briggs, John W., 1890-1908, received by transfer from the Minnesota Conference, transferred to the Central New York Conference.
Brown, Benjamin F., 1836-68, charter probationer, deceased December 27, 1867.
Brown, Bennett Day, 1885-1903, located.
Brown, Ephraim C., ¶1873-85, deceased February 28, 1885.
Brown, Joel C., 1850, discontinued.
Brown, John Fletcher, 1873-90, received by transfer from Central New York Conference, and transferred to Southern California Conference.
Brown, John N., 1843-1900,† deceased September 29, 1899.
Brown, Lester, 1849-92, deceased June 10, 1891.
Brown, Thomas B., 1846-54, transferred to Wisconsin Conference.
Brown, William F., 1870-98, deceased February 23, 1898.
Brundridge, Benjamin, 1852-53, discontinued.
Buck, James H., 1856-1907, deceased June 30, 1906.
Budge, Henry, 1851, discontinued.
Bullock, Miles G., 1868-73,† located; 1874, readmitted; 1874-80, located.
Bunnell, Nathaniel, 1840, discontinued.
Burnett, John H., 1854-66, expelled.
Bush, N. Edgar, 1872-88, expelled.
Caldwell, Ernest B., 1894-1907, received as probationer from the Halston Conference, transferred to the Alabama Conference.
Calkins, Almon, 1844-45, discontinued.
Calkins, George W., 1862-65, deceased while a probationer.
Call, Richard E., 1876, discontinued.
Capron, Merritt N., 1874-84, deposed from ministry.
Cass, Moses G., 1845-46, discontinued.
Castle, Allen, 1836-66, deceased October 21, 1865.
Castle, Monroe, 1858, discontinued.
Cately, Leander, 1847, discontinued.
Caton, Newton M., 1876-88, transferred to New England Conference.
Chapin, Almon, 1843-79,† deceased December 1, 1878.
Chapin, Harvey, 1836-62, charter probationer, deceased September 14, 1861.
Chapin, Harvey E., 1826-57, charter probationer, located.
Chase, Horace E., 1874-86, transferred to Minnesota Conference.
Chase, Mattison W., 1884-99, transferred to St. Louis Conference.
Chase, Squire, 1836, charter member, transferred to Liberia Mission Conference; 1838, returned; 1838-42, transferred to Liberia Conference.
Chase, William S., 1858-81,† transferred to Minnesota Conference.
Cheeseman, Anson, 1861-1903, died March 12, 1903.
Chidister, David, 1838-64, located; 1867, readmitted; 1867-68,*
Child, Andrew M., 1880-1902, located.
Child, George, 1845, evidently received by transfer, located at same session.
Christman, Duvillo G., 1899-1902, located.
Church, Hiram M., 1854-1908, deceased November 13, 1907.
Clark, Alonzo A., 1849, discontinued.
Clark, Francis T., 1891-94, transferred to Vermont Conference.
Clark, Lemuel, 1853-98, deceased June 1, 1897.
Clark, Ross, 1836-37, charter probationer, transferred to Oneida Conference.
Clawson, William W., 1895-1909, transferred to the Kansas Conference.
Clemens, Erastus J., 1873-78, located.
Clymer, J. Fletcher, 1866-68,*
Cobb, Stephen S., 1891-1908, transferred to the Troy Conference.
Cobb, William R., ¶1873-98, deceased August 13, 1897.
Coburn, Milo P., 1866-70, received by transfer, located.
Cocagne, John B., 1846-51, transferred to New York Conference; 1855, returned; 1855-57, deceased November 2, 1856; died at sea.
Coit, Olin B., 1893-1908, received by transfer from the Newark Conference, transferred to the New York East Conference.
Colborne, James H., 1898-1903, withdrawn.
Cole, Leonard T., 1889-96, withdrawn.
Cole, Orlando C., 1847-93,† deceased March 11, 1893.
Cole, Osmon L., 1866, discontinued; 1870-74, located.
Comfort, Silas, 1836, charter member, transferred to Missouri Conference.
Conrad, Laertes T., 1894-97, deceased July 13, 1896.
Cooke, George A., 1908-1909, received by transfer from Troy Conference, transferred to New York Conference.
Coope, John W., 1841-68, deceased April 12, 1868, during session of Conference.
Cooper, Theron, ¶1873-75, transferred to Central New York Conference.
Coote, James, 1874-89, received from Irish Wesleyan Conference, and transferred to New York East Conference.
Copeland, Anson T., 1859-70, transferred to Erie Conference.
Corbin, Bruce B., 1906-1907, transferred as probationer to Burmah Conference.
Corbin, Ira H., 1840, discontinued; 1849-57, deceased December 11, 1856.
Corbin, Soranus C., 1855-1909, deceased January 11, 1909.
Corse, Albert E., 1857-99,† deceased December 20, 1898.
Coryell, Volney M., 1836-37, charter member, transferred to Oneida Conference.
Cosgrove, John A., 1876-86, deceased April 2, 1886.
Cottrell, Andrew J., 1863-1904, deceased December 12, 1903.
Covert, Isaac, 1836-39, charter probationer, located.
Cowles, A. Johnson, 1868-1900,† deceased September 30, 1899.
Cramer, William C., 1905-1909, discontinued.
Creevey, George C., 1867-71, received by transfer from New York Conference, deceased in 1870.

Crofoot, James R., 1874-83, located.
Crosier, Samuel B., 1851-68.*
Cross, William J., 1894-1908, transferred to the Michigan Conference.
Crowfoot, Samuel M., 1855-94,† deceased April 2, 1894.
Crowley, Proctor M., 1844-55, located.
Cummings, Anson W., 1837-46, transferred to Illinois Conference.
Cummings, Melville B., 1871-74, admitted on certificate of location, and transferred to New England Conference.
Dains, George G., 1864-70, located; 1871, readmitted; 1871-85, deceased August 3, 1884.
Damon, Albert N., 1858-68.*
Danforth, Calvin, 1836-39, charter member, deceased May 15, 1839.
Danforth, Horace M., 1856-1905, deceased April 13, 1905.
Danforth, Stanley F., 1863-1905, deceased April 23, 1904.
Dann, Whitefield H., 1872-73, discontinued.
Darling, Josiah C., ¶1872-1908, deceased October 17, 1907.
Davidson, William C., 1888-1904, received by transfer from the Japan Annual Conference, deceased October 15, 1903.
Davies, J. Llewellyn, 1891-1900, received from Genesee Conference and transferred to Genesee Conference.
Davis, Daniel D., 1863-68.*
Davis, Henry G., 1840-41, discontinued.
Davis, Reese, 1845-48, discontinued.
Dayan, John F., 1870-97, deceased April 17, 1897.
Deighton, Benjamin, 1836-40, charter member, located.
Delamater, Stephen, 1856-75,† located.
DeLarme, Joseph, 1851-68.*
Dempster, John, 1836-42, charter member, transferred to New York Conference; 1847, returned; 1847-55, transferred to Rock River Conference.
Deniston, G. W., 1905, transferred from and to the Newark Conference.
Devitt, Frederick, 1868.*
Dickens, Leonard, 1845-46, discontinued.
Dickson, James A., 1876-80, located.
Diefendorf, Benjamin I., 1840-75,† deceased October 19, 1875.
Dillenbeck, William F., 1877-93, deceased April 19, 1892.
Dolph, John, 1867-75, received by transfer and transferred to Upper Iowa Conference.
Dorr, Charles E., 1875-1908, deceased March 13, 1908.
Doty, Thomas K., 1860-73, located.
Downer, John R., 1889-96, withdrawn.
Downing, James E., 1836-50, located.
Dowson, J. Lonsdale, 1899-1902, withdrawn.
Dunham, James P., 1884-1906, received from the Methodist Episcopal Church of Canada, deceased Jan. 18, 1906.
Dunning, Charles L., 1836-77,† charter member, deceased April 6, 1877.
Eddy, Ashton C., 1881-87, located.
Edgerton, Daniel O., ¶1873-79, deceased June 22, 1878.
Elwood, George W., 1853-68, located.
Empey, William C., 1856-93,† deceased September 3, 1892.
Ensign, James E., 1878-89, transferred to North Nebraska Conference.
Erwin, James, 1836-68,* charter probationer.
Estes, Orson K., 1840, discontinued; 1842, discontinued.
Everdell, Robert, 1836-40, charter member, transferred to Oneida Conference.
Everett, Edward, 1877-94, located.
Fairchild, Gershom, 1836-37, discontinued.
Feek, Robert G., 1887-89, discontinued.
Fenton, Stephen F., 1840-51, located.
Ferguson, David, 1838-68, deceased February 28, 1868.
Ferguson, John V., 1854-1906, deceased August 1, 1905.
Ferguson, Lorenzo D., 1849-59, withdrawn.
Ferguson, William P. F., received by transfer from New York Conference, 1892-93, withdrawn.
Field, Hezekiah, 1836-45, charter member, deceased January 2, 1845.
Fisher, George O., 1898-1908, transferred to the Genesee Conference.
Fitch, Albert E., 1892-95, discontinued.
Fletcher, Josiah, 1872-84, received by transfer, deceased May 7, 1883.
Foote, John B., 1851-68.*
Ford, Lucius B., 1859-60, discontinued.
Foreman, Alexander, 1836, charter probationer, discontinued.
Fradenburg, Alburn M., 1858-92, deceased December 13, 1891.
Francis, James, 1847, discontinued.
Frazier, Ralph L., 1852-68.*
Freeman, Friend S., 1837-38, discontinued.
Fulford, Daniel, 1856-90, deceased May 8, 1889.
Fuller, Earl B., 1836, charter probationer, discontinued.
Fuller, Spencer R., 1861-71, deceased September 16, 1870.
Gale, Watson E., 1896-1908, transferred to the South Dakota Conference.
Gardner, Davis, 1891-1904, located.
Gary, George, 1836-55, charter member, deceased March 25, 1855.
Gaylord, Miles H., 1836-86,† charter member, deceased January 29, 1886.
Genter, Myron E., 1900-1909, transferred to the New England Southern Conference.
George, John Starr, 1862-75,† deceased April 14, 1875.
Getman, Emory J., 1885-86, discontinued.
Gibbs, Lindley D., 1836-47, charter probationer, deceased January 15, 1847.
Gibson, Gardner W., 1862-73, transferred to Central New York Conference.
Gibson, Otis, 1861-69, received by transfer from New Jersey Conference, dismissed by transfer to California Conference.

Gilford, Joseph O., ¶1873; 1877, fell into Troy Conference by change of boundaries; 1880, returned by transfer from Troy Conference; 1880-84, deceased November 17, 1883.

Giles, Charles, 1836-68, charter member, deceased August 30, 1867.

Gillett, Morgan D., 1838-83,† deceased June 16, 1882.

Goering, Henry A., 1901-1903, discontinued.

Goodell, Seymour C., 1852-93, deceased January 24, 1893.

Gorrie, Peter D., 1836-85, deceased September 12, 1884.

Graham, James B., 1852-58, located.

Graves, Hubert, 1836-44, charter member, located; 1852, readmitted; 1852-66, located.

Graves, Isaac A., 1862-68, located.

Gray, Simon P., 1873-92, deceased May 6, 1891.

Green, Adam C., 1841-48, located.

Green, William E., 1900-1904, located.

Greenleaf, George D., 1857-77,† deceased May 18, 1876.

Gregg, Albert B., ¶1873, transferred at first session to Central New York Conference.

Gregory, Thomas W., 1875-80, located.

Griffin, Smith, 1851-63, deceased October 30, 1862.

Griffith, William R., 1883-91, withdrawn.

Guile, Charles H., 1863-1909, deceased March 10, 1909.

Hall, Augustus, 1844, discontinued.

Hall, Isaac, 1838-65, expelled.

Hall, Waley P., 1857-98, deceased May 14, 1897.

Hancher, John William, 1899-1902, received by transfer from the St. Louis Conference, dismissed by transfer to the Iowa Conference.

Hapgood, George G., 1836-77, charter member, deceased May 17, 1876.

Hard, Manley S., ¶1873, transferred before first session to Central New York Conference.

Hardendorf, Charles W., 1885-91, located.

Harkness, Joseph, 1895-1906, transferred to the Minnesota Conference.

Harris, Charles H., 1875-90, located.

Harris, Heman A., 1876-1908, deceased April 26, 1907.

Harrison, William, 1854-66, located.

Hastings, George S., 1872-1907, deceased February 2, 1907.

Hawkins, Charles E., 1876-86, received by transfer from West Wisconsin Conference, located.

Hawkins, Franklin, 1836-65, deceased July 2, 1864.

Hawkins, William H., 1841-89, deceased February 9, 1889.

Hemenway, William F., 1873-84, received by transfer from Virginia Conference, located.

Hewitt, John T., 1847-50, discontinued; 1866, admitted from American Wesleyan Church; 1866-80, deceased February 13, 1880.

Higby, Carlton N., 1871-89, deceased April 17, 1888.

Higgins, Francis D., ¶1873-74, deceased August 22, 1873.

Hill, Charles B., 1897-98, transferred to Bengal Burmah Conference.

Hill, Morrell T., 1858-1901, deceased October 8, 1900.

Hitchcock, Zina B., 1871-78, admitted from Canada Methodist Episcopal Church, transferred to Oregon Conference.

Hoag, Clement E., 1890, transferred to Central New York Conference.

Hollenbeck, Isaac J., 1854, discontinued.

Holmes, Burroughs, 1836-61, charter probationer, located.

Holmes, Harvey L., 1885-1904, located.

Holmes, Henry S., 1854-73,† deceased August 18, 1872.

Holmes, Othniel, 1854-1900, deceased November 4, 1899.

Horr, Elijah, Jr., 1863-68;* 1873,† returned by transfer; 1875, dismissed by transfer to Central New York Conference.

Houghton, Royal, 1836-68,* charter member.

Houghton, Ross C., 1861-63, discontinued; 1867-75,† transferred to Western New York Conference; 1895, returned by transfer from Southern Illinois Conference; 1895, withdrawn.

Howard, Herbert W., 1882-1902, transferred to the Genesee Conference.

Hudson, James, 1852-54, discontinued.

Hughes, Thomas, 1854, discontinued.

Humphreys, Humphrey, 1850-53, transferred to Pittsburg Conference; 1856, returned by transfer; 1856-60, transferred to Oneida Conference; 1873, readmitted on probation; 1873-78, located.

Humphrey, John V., 1862-67, deceased September 23, 1866.

Humphrey, James L., 1851-68, transferred to India Mission Conference; 1875, returned by transfer from India Conference; 1875-80, transferred to North India Conference; 1885, returned by transfer from North India Conference; 1885-95, transferred to North India Conference.

Hunt, Isaac L., 1836-93, charter member, deceased March 11, 1893.

Hunt, Ward W., 1848-90, deceased September 7, 1889.

Hunt, Ward I., 1849-60, located.

Hunter, Hamilton D., 1873-74, transferred while a probationer to California Conference.

Huntley, Gilbert E., 1885-87, discontinued.

Idle, Harry, 1892-1905, withdrawn.

Irvine, James, 1836-41, charter probationer, located.

Jenkins, Isaac, 1873-88, transferred to Wyoming Conference.

Jenkins, James M., 1853, discontinued.

Jennings, James P., 1847-56, expelled.

Jewell, Frank F., 1860-73,† transferred to California Conference before meeting of first session of Northern New York Conference.

Johnson, Charles, 1837-39, discontinued; 1842-48, located.

Joice, William B., 1851-69, deceased March 17, 1869.

Jones, Erasmus W., 1848-1909, deceased January 9, 1909.

Jones, George H., 1894-1908, received by transfer from the St. Johns River Conference, transferred to the Korea Conference.
Jones, Gideon P., 1857-68.*
Jones, John W., 1836, discontinued; 1838-79,† deceased August 31, 1878.
Jones, William, 1849-73,† transferred to Central New York Conference.
Kay, James R., 1886-98, deceased September 12, 1897.
Kelley, Thomas, 1878-79, received by transfer from Troy Conference, located.
Kellogg, Enos. E., 1856-83, deceased September 12, 1883.
Kelsey, Howard L., ¶1873-77, fell into Troy Conference by change of boundaries.
Kenney, George P., 1858-95, located.
Kenyon, Earl H., 1887-91, withdrawn.
Kenyon, James B., 1879-80; 1884, readmitted; 1884-94, transferred to Central New York Conference.
Kenyon, Sardius, 1852-96, deceased May 22, 1895.
Killam, James C., 1856-69, located.
Kilpatrick, Joseph, 1837-47, located.
King, Linden, 1836-43, charter member, withdrawn.
King, Rufus E., 1841-84, deceased July 27, 1883.
King, Rufus E., Jr., 1883-1903, located.
Kinmonth, Albert E., 1874-78, admitted from the British Wesleyan Conference, located.
Kinney, Silas S., 1848-59, deceased April 17, 1859.
Kinsley, Harris, 1836-74, deceased March 4, 1875.
Kittinger, George W., 1860-61, transferred while a probationer to the Genesee Conference.
Knapp, David P., 1853-89, deceased July 31, 1888.
Knox, Loren L., 1841-42, transferred to Oneida Conference.
Kuang, Yeh Ing. 1864-72, transferred to North China Mission.
Lambert, Chandley, 1836-45, charter member, deceased March 16, 1845.
Lamb, Joseph H., 1841-1901, deceased June 8, 1900.
Lathrop, Oran, 1844-85, located.
Lathrop, Orman C., 1840-89,† deceased June 1, 1888.
Lattimer, John N., 1886-92, withdrawn.
Launderville, John H., 1903-1907, received on credentials from the Wesleyan Methodist Church of America, located.
Lawrence, Charles H., 1903-1907, transferred to the Dakota Conference.
Lawrence, William, 1844-46, located.
Lawton, Daniel B., 1836-37, discontinued.
LeClair, Alexander, 1855-1909, deceased September 29, 1908.
LeClar, Peter, 1876-87, expelled.
Lee, Luther, 1836-38, charter member, located.
Leet, Charles W., 1836-58, charter member, deceased December 13, 1857.
Leete, Frederick D., 1889-99, transferred to Genesee Conference.
Legate, Otis M., 1851-65, received by transfer, withdrew soon after Conference, 1864.
Lent, Wyatt C., 1858-97, deceased August 9, 1896.
Lewis, Daniel M., 1896-1907, transferred to the New York East Conference.
Lewis, John R., 1844-55, transferred west, but died July 10, 1854, and not having been assigned to any particular Conference, the Bishop decided that his membership still remained with the Black River Conference.
Lewis, William S., 1855-65, probably located though no record of the fact is to be found, either in the General Minutes or written Journal of the Conference.
Little, Charles J., 1891, transferred from Philadelphia Conference; 1891-98, transferred to Rock River Conference.
Littlefield, Seward L., 1891-1908, transferred to the Genesee Conference.
Livingston, Joseph A., 1849-54, discontinued.
Longstreet, Joseph, 1877-80, received by transfer, deceased May 24, 1879.
Loomis, William C., 1878-80, admitted on certificate of location, deceased August 23, 1879.
Loveys, John, 1836-50, charter member, deceased August 30, 1849.
Lowry, John, 1836-44, withdrawn.
Lyford, Charles P., 1860-62, located; 1864, readmitted; 1864-68;* 1878, admitted by transfer from Utah; 1878-83, transferred to New England Conference.
Lyle, Richard, 1836-46, charter probationer located.
Lyon, Moses, 1836-68.*
Lyon, Samuel, 1836, charter probationer, discontinued.
Mansfield, John H., 1856, received on probation and transferred to New England Conference.
Manson, Charles, 1865-70, transferred to Nebraska Conference; 1871, returned; 1871-90, deceased July 1, 1889.
Markham, Adma G., 1860-1900, deceased February 8, 1900.
Marsh, Samuel, 1856-59, discontinued.
Marvin, Daniel, Jr., 1873-86. located.
Marvin, Lyman Eddy, ¶1873-1906, deceased January 21, 1906.
Mason, Darius, 1838-51, deceased April 3, 1851.
Mason, Wesley, 1862-68.*
Mason, William C., 1836-49, charter member, located.
Mattison, Charles G., 1875-79, withdrawn.
Mattison, Hiram, 1836-62, withdrawn.
McBoom, John, 1859-60, discontinued.
McCormack, Charles W., 1883-93, transferred to Newark Conference.
McCullough, James B., 1866-82,† deceased September 11, 1882.
McDonald, William C., 1873-95, deceased July 5, 1894.
McFee, James, 1877, did not go to his appointment at all, discontinued.
McLaren. Alexander, 1865-69, admitted from Methodist Episcopal Church, Canada, 1869, withdrawn.

McLaren, Robert, 1905-1908, received by transfer from the Colorado Conference, transferred to the New York Conference.
McMullin, George, 1858-67, deceased December 31, 1866.
Mead, George M., ¶1873-86, transferred to Central New York Conference.
Meeker, Homer H., 1897-1902, discontinued.
Meredith, Lewis, 1858-70, transferred to Rock River Conference.
Merrifield, William, 1854-94, deceased August 3, 1893.
Merritt, John H., 1859-71, transferred to Colorado Conference.
Miller, Allen, 1848-99,† deceased August 6, 1898.
Miller, Horton G., 1871-78, transferred to Kansas Conference.
Miller, George W., 1870-74, transferred to Providence Conference.
Miller, John W., 1897-1907, received by transfer from the Black Hills Conference, dismissed by transfer to the Mexico Conference.
Millington, Frank C., 1864-70, transferred to Colorado Conference.
Mitchel, Thomas D., 1842-56, deceased August 18, 1855.
Moffett, Charles B., 1867, discontinued.
Moore, Gordon, 1860-1906, deceased April 23, 1905.
Moore, James R., 1863-68;* 1877, by transfer from Colorado Conference; 1877-79, deceased February 8, 1879.
Moore, William D., 1836-48, charter probationer, located; 1855, readmitted; 1855-83,† deceased September 26, 1882.
Morris, Hubert, 1847, discontinued.
Morse, William, 1845-48, discontinued; 1854-58, located.
Mosher, Absalom, 1857-70, deceased June 9, 1869.
Mott, Oscar, 1857-70, transferred to Troy Conference.
Munger, Elijah H., 1849-86,† deceased September 18, 1885.
Munson, Augustine E., 1836-92, charter member, deceased August 8, 1891.
Murdock, John N., 1842, discontinued.
Myers, Julian H., 1887-1906, deceased December 7, 1905.
Nichols, Browning, 1853-64, deceased April 1, 1864.
Nichols, James R., 1856-59, deceased December 12, 1858.
Nichols, Orlando F., 1873-94, deceased March 4, 1894.
Nichols, William A., 1843-1905, deceased May 19, 1904.
Nickerson, Amos S., 1847-99,† deceased April 24, 1889.
Nicolls, Hiram, 1854-91,† deceased October 1, 1890.
Ninde, William W., 1836-45, charter member, deceased February 27, 1845.
Ninde, William X., 1856-61, transferred to Cincinnati Conference.
Northrup, Homer R., ¶1873-1907, deceased December 17, 1906.
Noulton, Levi B., 1870-1907, deceased December 28, 1906.
Nye, Alfred H., 1858-68.*
O'Farrell, Francis A., 1851-79,† deceased October 22, 1878.
Orvis, Samuel, 1842-51, deceased September 14, 1850.
Page, Philetus, 1853, discontinued.
Palmer, Lucius L., 1852-96, deceased August 21, 1895.
Park, Jacob M., 1846-52, located.
Parker, Arthur C., 1906-1907, transferred as probationer to the South India Conference.
Parker, Roswell, 1836, charter member, located.
Parker, David D., 1848-98,† deceased January 7, 1898.
Parsons, Charles W., 1874-85, transferred to St. Louis Conference.
Pease, Ebenezer, 1845-74, deceased December 1, 1873.
Peaslee, Isaac D., ¶1873-1908, deceased October 15, 1907.
Peck, Albert D., 1836-48, charter member, deceased November 1, 1847.
Peck, Jesse T., 1836-41, charter member, transferred to Troy Conference.
Peck, Nathan R., 1838-50, deposed; 1853, readmitted on probation; 1853-55, transferred to California Conference.
Peck, William, 1841-83,† deceased March 16, 1883.
Penfield, Jesse, 1836-70, charter member, deceased June 6, 1869.
Phelps, Arza J., 1836-68,* charter probationer.
Phelps, Brayton M., 1883-1908, deceased February 15, 1908.
Phelps, Chamberlayne, 1854-1909, deceased October 6, 1908.
Phelps, James D., 1884-86, received by transfer from Central New York Conference, dismissed by transfer to Genesee Conference.
Phelps, Lewis W., 1868-71, deceased February 28, 1871.
Phillips, Benjamin, 1836-44, charter member, located; 1845, readmitted; 1845-63, deceased February 17, 1863.
Phillips, Cyrus, 1852-80,† deceased July 6, 1879.
Phillips, Robert D., 1864-68.*
Pierce, Arthur A., 1884-91, deceased August 14, 1890.
Pierce, Emilius W., 1856-62, located.
Pierce, Gustavus M., 1856-62, located; 1865, readmitted; 1865-68.*
Pierce, Mial R., 1850-67, withdrawn.
Pierce, Ralph, 1855-64, deposed.
Pitcher, Oliver P., 1852-1901, deceased March 17, 1901.
Plank, George W., 1847-96, deceased October 18, 1895.
Popple, Samuel, 1853-55, deceased while a probationer, February 28, 1855.
Price, Isaac G., 1880-85, transferred to New York Conference.
Pritchard, Robert W., 1896, probationer, discontinued.
Puffer, Isaac, 1836-55, charter member, deceased May 25, 1854.
Redgrave, Charles A., 1886-87, withdrawn.
Redhead, Richard, 1849-68.*
Reese, William H., 1874-87, transferred to St. Louis Conference.
Reynolds, Reuben, 1836-76,† deceased January 24, 1876.
Rice, Merritt M., 1852-1901, deceased August 22, 1900.

Richards, John, 1890-1909, received from the Methodist Church of Canada, transferred to the Central New York Conference.
Richards, William I., 1850-61, transferred to Genesee Conference.
Richey, Thomas, 1851-93, deceased July 10, 1892.
Rider, Benjamin, 1838-41, discontinued.
Robbins, Alvin, 1841-51, transferred to Troy Conference.
Robbins, Daniel S., 1861-63, discontinued.
Robbins, Richard B., 1888-93, located.
Roberts, John W., 1858-70, transferred to Central New York Conference; ¶1873-95, deceased February 8, 1895.
Robinson, Jesse S., 1858, discontinued.
Roe, Andrew M., 1858-68.*
Rowe, Harry F., 1897-1908, transferred to the Central China Mission Conference.
Rowe, Thomas T., 1899-1908, received by transfer from the Genesee Conference, and transferred to the same.
Rogers, Daniel M., 1850-59, transferred to Erie Conference.
Rogers, Horace, 1837-39, discontinued.
Rogers, Lucius C., 1836, charter member, transferred to Oneida Conference.
Roney, Daniel W., 1848-68.*
Roper, John, 1836-46, charter member, deceased February 14, 1846.
Rundell, William W., ¶1873-76, deceased March 28, 1876.
Salsbury, George H., 1853-64, deceased November 27, 1863.
Salsbury, Nathaniel, 1836-76,† charter member, deceased February 18, 1876.
Salsbury, Samuel, 1850-88,† deceased December 14, 1887.
Sawyer, John, 1838-47, located.
Sawyer, George, 1835-68,* charter probationer.
Searles, William, ¶1873-75, transferred to Central New York Conference.
Seed, William H., 1897-1905, withdrawn.
Selleck, Herman D., 1886-92, located.
Severance, Cyrus G., 1896-97, discontinued.
Severance, Fayette G., 1891-1901, transferred to the Southwest Kansas Conference.
Seymour, Albert, 1836, discontinued.
Sharpe, George F., 1889-1902, withdrawn.
Shaw, Albert, 1859-64, transferred to California Conference.
Sheard, Charles, 1881-1901, deceased April 25, 1900.
Shepherd, Hiram, 1836-63, charter member, deceased May 25, 1862.
Sherman, Reuben, 1879-1905, deceased February 1, 1905.
Simons, Darius, 1850-94, received by transfer from Oneida Conference, deceased November 12, 1893.
Simpson, John William, 1869-1903, deceased November 26, 1902.
Sink, Chauncy, 1859-60, discontinued.
Skeel, Clarence M., 1878-81, deceased while a probationer, August 9, 1880.
Slater, Silas, 1836-90,† deceased December 12, 1889.
Slee, John, 1840-68.*
Sleeper, Thomas D., 1848-58, withdrawn.
Smalley, Albert L., 1867-80,† transferred to Wyoming Conference.
Smead, Elijah, 1840-44, located; readmitted 1858-94, deceased December 18, 1893.
Smedley, Joseph, 1854-91, deceased May 30, 1890.
Smedley, Merlin T., 1860-71, transferred to Upper Iowa Conference.
Smith, Alban M., 1836-60, charter member, transferred to Upper Iowa Conference.
Smith, David B., 1845-89,† deceased May 17, 1888.
Smith, Elijah, 1836-71, charter member, deceased September 30, 1870.
Smith, James R., 1873-89, deceased July 26, 1888.
Smith, William C., 1857-82,† deceased November 13, 1881.
Snowdon, Stewart E., 1897-1909, deceased September 5, 1908.
Soule, Rowland, 1836-46, located.
Spencer, Henry F., 1862-66, transferred to Michigan Conference.
Squier, Ezra S., 1846-49, deceased March 4, 1849.
Squire, Orra, 1834-1900, deceased Apr. 15, 1900.
Stacey, William, 1888-91, transferred to Michigan Conference.
Stanton, Freeman H., 1847-68, received by transfer from Oneida Conference.*
Stanton, James, ¶1873-81, transferred to Central New York Conference.
Stebbins, Lorenzo D., 1843-55, transferred to Troy Conference.
Stewart, James C., 1871-80, received from Protestant Methodist church, located.
Stoddard, John E., 1836-61, deceased February 12, 1861.
Stone David, 1840-87,† deceased August 30, 1886.
Stone, Isaac, 1836-51, charter member, deceased September 10, 1850.
Stowell, James, 1867-79, withdrawn; 1881, admitted on trial; 1881-83, located.
Stratton, Royal, 1846-52, transferred to California Conference.
Styan, Mark, 1887-91, discontinued.
Symes, Charles C., 1853-57, located.
Taft, Jay N., 1880, discontinued.
Taft, Lorenzo P., 1854-60, located.
Taft, Marcus L., 1901-1906, received by transfer from the North China Conference, and dismissed by transfer to the North China Conference.
Tanner, Lorenzo D., 1836-37, discontinued.
Taylor, Michael, 1854-68, located.
Thomas, David W., 1858-65, transferred to India Mission Conference.
Thomas, John, 1836-45, charter probationer, located.
Thomas, Thomas, 1864-68, received by transfer from Oneida Conference.*
Thompson, John, 1836-40, discontinued.
Thrasher, Morenus, 1841-45, located; 1853, readmitted as a probationer; 1853-69, deceased July 13, 1868.

Thurston, Thomas W., 1845-58, located.
Tilden, Henry O., 1837-84, deceased May 12, 1883.
Tilton, Allen H., 1836-42, charter member, located.
Toles, Alvin J., 1894-96, discontinued.
Tooke, Wesley F., ¶1873-1908, deceased May 11, 1907.
Totheroh, William W., 1870-73, withdrawn.
Tourtelot, Alexander, 1855, discontinued.
Tourtelot, Stephen, 1848-68.*
Torrey, Frank D., 1891-1904, transferred to the New York East Conference.
Treamin, Horace, 1839, changed to Oneida Conference by change of boundaries; 1873, returned by change of boundaries; 1873-77, deceased March 25, 1877.
Tripp, William, 1836-82,† deceased in 1881.
Tuller, Anson, 1826-68, charter member.*
Turner, Warren, 1838-89, deceased June 19, 1888.
Turney, Isaac, 1842-80, deceased March 5, 1880.
Tuttle, Elliot A., ¶1873-84, located.
VanCamp, Cornelius H., 1901-1904, deceased August 5, 1903.
Vandercook, Jackson C., 1848-67, deceased May 27, 1866.
VanDusen, W. W., 1880-90, transferred to Puget Sound Conference.
VanPetten, John B., 1852-66, located.
VanTassel, Truman, 1836-39, charter probationer, located.
VanVliet, George H., ¶1873-87, transferred to North Dakota Conference.
Veeder, Major A., 1878-79, received by transfer from Troy Conference, located.
Vernon, LeRoy M., 1894-97, received by transfer from Central New York Conference, deceased Aug. 10, 1896.
Wadsworth, Edward L., ¶1873-88, deceased July 10, 1887.
Wadsworth, Munson G., ¶1873-1909, deceased March 12, 1909.
Walker, Charles B., 1853-58, located.
Wallace, John, 1836-40, charter probationer, located.
Ware, Thomas, 1854, discontinued.
Warner, Albert R., ¶1873-97, deceased June 12, 1896.
Warn, Samuel M., 1864-1905, deceased July 2, 1904.
Waterman, Alpha, 1836, charter probationer, discontinued.
Watson, George S., 1854-68.*
Watson, William, ¶1873-99, deceased July 20, 1898.
Webster, G. E., 1905-1907, received by transfer from the Dakota Conference, dismissed by transfer to the Troy Conference.
Webster, Melville R., ¶1873-92, transferred to Genesee Conference.
Welch, Alfred, 1852-53, discontinued.
Welch, George P., 1855, discontinued.
Wells, Alonzo, 1850-1906, deceased July 22, 1905.
Wells, James, 1856-85,† located.
Wells, M. D. L. Burton, 1857-68.*
Wells, Moses, 1866-94,† deceased Apr. 16, 1894.
Wentworth, Erastus, 1841-42, transferred while a probationer to Troy Conference.
West, Russell M., 1843-47, deceased November 12, 1846.
Wheeler, Addison F., 1853-65, expelled.
Wheeler, Elisha, 1836-75, charter member, deceased November 13, 1874.
Wheeler, Ephraim, 1855-97, deceased February 28, 1897.
Whipple, Benajah E., 1853-59, transferred to New Hampshire Conference; 1860, returned; 1860-75,† located.
Whipple, Eleazer, 1836-56, charter member, deceased February 19, 1856.
Whitcomb, John G., 1836-41, charter member, located.
Whitcomb, Lewis, 1836-62, charter member, deceased December 14, 1861.
White, David B., 1856-62, located; 1873, received by transfer; 1873-87, deceased July 21, 1886.
White, George S., ¶1873-74, transferred to Central New York Conference.
White, Lafayette D., 1846-94, deceased January 23, 1894.
White, Thomas B., ¶1873-78, withdrawn.
Whitmore, Major, 1854-56, discontinued.
Whitney, Frederick J., 1855-68.*
Whitney, Lucius, 1852-80,† deceased May 29, 1879.
Widmer, Frederick, 1871-78, received by transfer from and dismissed by transfer to Troy Conference.
Wightman, Abel S., 1846-60, suspended from ministry, and parchments surrendered.
Wightman, Allen O., 1840-48, withdrawn.
Wightman, Olin C., ¶1873-78, located.
Wightman, Richard R., 1889-90, transferred to Michigan Conference.
Wilber, James, H., 1842-50, transferred to Oregon.
Wiles, Phineas H., 1851-68.*
Willis, Joseph, 1836-47, charter member, deceased August 4, 1846.
Williams, David, 1879-81, received by transfer from and dismissed by transfer to Wyoming Conference.
Williams, H. Spencer, ¶1873-77, located.
Williams, Joseph, 1890-1907, withdrawn.
Witters, Orvis, 1869-78, located.
Wood, George C., 1858-68.*
Wood, John A., 1874-78, received by transfer from Wyoming Conference, located.
Wood, Noah, 1860, discontinued.
Wood, William W., 1840-41, discontinued.
Woodard, Harvey, ¶1873-75, transferred to New Hampshire Conference.
Woodhull, John, 1856, discontinued.
Woodruff, George C., 1836-55, charter member; located.
Woodruff, Hiram, 1843-58, located.

Woodward, Amasa, 1854-88, deceased January 13, 1888.
Woodward, Francis A., 1878-85, transferred to Central Illinois Conference.
Wright, Benjamin S., 1844-92,† deceased February 8, 1892.
Wright, John T., ¶1873-89, deceased November 20, 1888.
Wright, Pomeroy, 1855-90,† deceased November 24, 1899.
Wyatt, William, 1843-47, received by transfer from and dismissed by transfer to Oneida Conference.
York, Albert L., ¶1873-82, withdrawn.
Youngman, Thomas H., ¶1873, transferred to Central New York Conference at first session.
Yu Wang Ching, 1885-94, transferred to North China Conference.
Zimmerman, Josiah, 1849-99,† deceased March 12, 1899.

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Containing the Roll of 1909, with an Outline History of each Member.

Where no Conference is mentioned, the Black River or Northern New York is to be understood.

* In the Central New York Conference four years from 1868, by change of boundaries.

† Northern New York Conference by change of boundaries in 1872.

Alexander, T. Franklin. Licensed to exhort in June, 1884, at Braddock, Pa., J. J. McIllyar, pastor; to preach, September, 1885, at same place, J. R. Miller, presiding elder; admitted 1890, Idaho Conference; deacon, 1892—Vincent; full connection, 1892, Newark Conference; located in 1894 at own request while a member of Idaho Conference; elder, 1899—Fowler; readmitted in Northern New York Conference, April 24, 1903.

Appointments: 1903-04-05, Watson; 1906-07-08, Turin; 1909, Utica Centenary.

Supply: 1902, Watson.

Education: Pittsburg Academy, Allegheny College, Drew Theological Seminary.

Allen, Henry William Powell. Licensed to exhort by Noble F. English at Cooksville, Canada, in February, 1861; admitted to Wesleyan Methodist Conference in June, 1863, and ordained elder at Hamilton, Ontario, June 9, 1867, by James Elliott, president.

Appointments: 1863, Ainsleyville; 1864, Mitchel; 1865, Kincardine; 1866, Elora; 1867-68-69, Teviotdale; 1870, Listowel circuit; 1871, came to the United States and supplied Waddington; admitted April 12, 1872, to Black River Conference as an elder and in full connection, and appointed to Waddington and Chase Mills; 1873, Moira; 1874-75, Turin; 1876-77, Morristown; 1878-79, Norfolk; 1880-81, Fort Covington and Bombay; 1882-83-84, Trenton; 1885, Knoxboro; 1886-87, Maynard; 1888-89-90, Floyd; 1891-92-93, Hamilton; 1894-95-96, Sauquoit; 1897-98-99-1900, Dolgeville; 1901-02-03, St. Johnsville; 1904-05, East Hamilton; 1906 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1907-08, Rotterdam Junction, Troy Conference; 1909, Rodman.

Ambrosine, Valentine. Received by Transfer from North Ohio Conference, 1907.

Appointments: 1907-08-09, Utica, Italian Mission.

Andrews, Wesley Ilone. Licensed to exhort at Binghamton, N. Y., 1894, J. W. Nicholson, pastor; to preach, 1894, L. C. Floyd, presiding elder; admitted, April 25, 1903; full connection, April 14, 1905; deacon, April 16, 1905—Berry; elder, April 21, 1907—Wilson.

Appointments: 1903, Salisbury Center and Stratford; 1904-05-06, Hammond; 1907, Trenton; 1908-09, Black River.

Supply: 1902, Salisbury Center and Stratford.

Education: Mt. Hermon School, Wyoming Seminary, Ohio Wesleyan University.

Arthur, Frank Elton. Licensed to preach at Lowville by the Adams District Conference about 1881; deacon, April 12, 1885—Foss; admitted April 20, 1886; full connection, April 6, 1888; elder, April 19, 1891—Hurst.

Appointments: 1886-87, Cape Vincent; 1888, Hamilton; 1889-90-91, Verona; 1892, Sandy Creek; 1893-94-95-96, Principal of Ives Seminary; 1897-98, Alexandria Bay; 1899-1900, supernumerary. (Principal of Sandy Creek High School); 1901-02-03, Richfield Springs; 1904-05-06-07-08, Boonville; 1909, St. Johnsville.

Education: Lowville Academy, Cazenovia Seminary, Syracuse University (A. M.), Boston Theological Seminary.

Atwell, William Groo. Licensed to preach by Cazenovia District Conference (Central New York Conference), September 3, 1891; admitted April 21, 1893; full connection, April 9, 1896; deacon, April 12, 1896—Joyce; elder, April 17, 1898—Ninde.

Appointments: 1893, Altmar, four months, (balance of the year, student at Evanston, Ill.); 1894-95-96-97-98, Chaumont; 1899-1900-01, Heuvelton; 1902-03-04-05, Minetto; 1906-07, Belleville; 1908-09, Antwerp.

Supply: 1892, Sprague ville, four months; November, 1892, to April, 1903, Watertown, Bethany Chapel.

Education: Syracuse University (A. M.); Garrett Biblical Institute (B. D).

Aubrey, William Daniel. Licensed to exhort at Constable, N. Y., July 13, 1896, O. M. Kelley, pastor; to preach, at Canton, N. Y., February 23, 1897, J. C. Darling, presiding elder; admitted April 20, 1901; deacon, April 21, 1901—Fowler; full connection, April 25, 1903; elder, April 16, 1905—Berry.

Appointments: 1901-02, Altmar; 1903-04, Oswego Center; 1905-06-07, Tupper Lake; 1908-09, Nicholville and Fort Jackson.

Supply: 1897, Brasher Center; 1898, South Bombay; 1900, Altmar.

Education: Malone, N. Y.; Taylor University.

Austin, Alfred George. Licensed to exhort, Cottage Street Church, Cambridge, Mass., 1876, J. A. Ames, pastor; to preach, 1876, Daniel Dorchester, presiding elder; admitted April 26, 1882, Vermont Conference; full connection, April 19, 1884; deacon, April 20, 1884—Andrews; elder, May 2, 1886—Hurst.

Appointments: 1882, Corinth; 1883-84, Bethel Gilead; 1885, Gouldsville and Berlin; 1886-87-88-89, Barnard and East Barnard; 1890-91, Weston; supplied at Landgrove; 1892-93, Newbury; 1894, Israburg; 1895-96-97-98, East Burke and East Haven; 1899-1900-01-02, Albany; supplied South Albany; 1903, West Fairlee and Copperfield; 1904-05-06, Georgia and North Fairfax; 1907-08, Sheldon; transferred to Northern New York Conference; 1909, Colton.

Education: public schools and private tuition, England.

Aylesworth, David Wright. Licensed to exhort July 12, 1855, and to preach, September 15, 1855, on the Crosby circuit in Canada, Daniel Pomroy, preacher in charge; admitted to the Bay of Quinte Conference of the Canada Methodist Episcopal church in June, 1856; deacon, May 23, 1858—Bishop Philander Smith; elder, May 27, 1860, by same Bishop.

Appointments: 1856-57, Lachute Mission; 1858-59, Augusta; 1860-61, Iroquois; 1862-63, Lynn; 1864-65, Sydenham; 1866-67, Augusta District; admitted to Northern New York Conference as an elder and in full connection, April 22, 1870, Saint Lawrence; 1871-72, Evans Mills; 1873-74-75, Three Mile Bay; 1876-77-78, Turin; 1879-80-81, Westmoreland; 1882-

83-84, New Hartford; 1885-86-87, Taberg; 1888-89-90, Cleveland; 1891 to 1895, supernumerary; 1896-97, Harrisville; 1898-99-1900-01, Sackets Harbor; 1902-03, Felts Mills; 1904-05-06-07-08, New London; 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1856, Crosby charge, eight months prior to joining the conference; 1868-69, St. Lawrence. In 1891 to 1895, employed in temperance work under the Good Templars.

Was a delegate to General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Canada, 1862 and 1866, receiving a unanimous election the second time.

Education: in Canada at Bath, and Newburg Academy.

Baker, William Henry. Licensed to exhort at Watertown, October, 18, 1886, C. C. Townsend, pastor; to preach by Adams District Conference, June 12, 1888, B. F. Wood, presiding elder; admitted, April 14, 1890; full connection, April 15, 1892; deacon, April 17, 1892—Bowman; elder, April 22, 1894—Goodsell.

Appointments: 1890-91, New Bremen; 1892-93, Chaumont; 1894-95-96-97-98, Port Leyden; 1899-1900, Sauquoit; 1901-02-03-04, Dolgeville; 1905, Chateaugay; 1906-07-08, Massena; 1909, Assistant at Watertown, Arsenal Street, for rest and recuperation; March, 1910, transferred to Puget Sound Conference.

Education: Ives Seminary, Special course at Boston School of Theology, Taylor University (Ph. B., A. M.).

Ball, Wilson F. Licensed to exhort at Lafargeville, N. Y., in 1856, H. M. Church, pastor; to preach, at Theresa, N. Y., 1857, Burrows Holmes, presiding elder; deacon, April 12, 1868—Simpson; admitted, April 17, 1869; full connection, April 28, 1871; elder, April 20, 1873—Peck.

Appointments: 1869-70, North Potsdam; 1871-72, Sackets Harbor; left in August, 1872, to teach in Massena; 1873-74, principal Massena Academy and Union Free School; 1875-76-77, Heuvelton; 1878-79-80, Chateaugay; 1881-82, Sandy Creek; 1883, Hermon; 1884, Fort Covington and Bombay; 1885-86-87, Massena; 1888-89-90, Canton; 1891, Madrid; 1892, Newport; 1893-94-95-96, Theresa; 1897-98, West Winfield; 1899-1900-01, DeKalb; 1902, Louisville; 1903-04, Tupper Lake; 1905 to 1909, superannuated.

Served in Company D, 92d regiment, New York Volunteers, as first sergeant, from November 11, 1861, to June 10, 1863; also served Bucks Bridge as a supply in 1868.

Education: Fairfield Seminary, Gouverneur Wesleyan Seminary.

Barnes, Sidney Orlando. Licensed to exhort December 31, 1858, at Wolcott, N. Y., Loren L. Adkins, pastor; to preach, 1859, I. S. Bingham, presiding elder; deacon, April 19, 1863—Janes; admitted April 19, 1864; full connection, April 23, 1866; elder, April 21, 1867—Janes.

Appointments: 1864-65, Victory; 1866-67, Hannibal; 1868-69-70, Potsdam; 1871-72-73, Adams; 1874-75-76, Lowville; 1877-78-79, Herkimer; 1880-81-82-83, St. Lawrence District; 1884-85-86, Ilion; 1887-88-89, Clayton; 1890-91-92-93-94, Boonville; 1895-96-97-98-99-1900, Watertown District; 1901-02-03, Pulaski; 1904, supernumerary; 1905-06, Cape Vincent; 1907 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply, 1863, Ira and Cato, Secretary of the Conference, 1873-80. Delegate to General Conference in 1880 and 1884. Delegate to the two Methodist State Conventions held in Syracuse.

Education: Red Creek Academy, Genesee College. (A. M.).

Barrett, Joseph William. Licensed to exhort at Harwell, England, 1887, Richard Evans, pastor; to preach, at same place, 1888, by Wantage District Conference (Wesleyan Methodist); deacon, April 21, 1895—Mallalieu; admitted, April 11, 1896; full connection, April 16, 1898; elder, April 22, 1900.

Appointments: 1896, Pillar Point; 1897-98-99-1900, Lorraine; 1901-02-03, Philadelphia; 1904-05-06-07, Waterville; 1908-1909, Carthage.
Supply: 1892, Croghan; 1893-94, Point Peninsula; 1895, Pillar Point.
Education: Wesleyan Training School, Oxford, England.

Bartlett, Marcus Alfred. Licensed to preach, 1895; at Vermillion by the Oswego District Conference, T. B. Shepherd, presiding elder; deacon, April 23, 1899—McCabe; elder, April 10, 1904—Merrill; admitted, April 15, 1905; full connection, April 20, 1907.
Appointments: 1905-06, West Sandy Creek; 1907, Hammond; 1908-09, Hailesboro and Natural Dam.
Supply: 1896-97, Texas; 1898-99, Altmar; 1900-01-02, Florence; 1903-04, Scriba and Lansing.
Education: public schools and Mexico Academy.

Bayliss, Richard F. Admitted on trial in 1889 in the Newark Conference; deacon, April 6, 1890—Newman; full connection, April, 1891; elder, April 9, 1893—Fitzgerald.
Appointments: In New Jersey, East Orange, Ferry Church, East Millstone, Norton, Oxford; 1901 to 1905, supernumerary; made effective in Newark Conference in April, 1906; transferred to Northern New York Conference; 1906-07-08, Colton; 1909, St. Regis Falls.

Beale, Frank. Licensed to preach, Frankfort, Indiana, January, 1891, by Quarterly Conference; admitted, 1893, New York Conference; full connection, 1895; deacon, 1895—Newman; elder, 1897—Merrill.
Appointments: 1893-94, New Paltz; 1895-96, Namrock; 1897, Rhinebeck; 1898-99-1900, Poughkeepsie, Trinity; 1901-02-03, Catskill; 1904-05-06, Hudson; 1907, Ellensville; transferred to Northern New York Conference; 1908, West Winfield; 1909, Hamilton.
Education: Asbury (De Pauw University).

Bennett, Henry Ward. Licensed to preach at Fairfield, N. Y., in 1857, Ward I. Hunt, pastor; admitted, April 19, 1864; full connection, April 21, 1866; deacon, April 22, 1866—Ames; elder, April 12, 1868,—Simpson.
Appointments: 1864, Middleville; 1865-66, Antwerp and Sprague Corners; 1867-68, Heuvelton; 1869-70, Ogdensburg; 1871-72-73, Lowville; 1874, Adams; 1875-76-77, Ilion; 1878-79-80, Fulton; 1881-82-83-84, Herkimer District; 1885-86-87, Utica, South Street; 1888-89-90-91-92-93, Saint Lawrence District; 1894-95, Mexico; 1896-97-98, Norwood; 1899, assistant at Ilion; 1900, supernumerary; 1901 to 1909, superannuated.
Was professor of languages in Belleville College, Ont., in 1862; held the same position in Fairfield Academy in 1863-64, the appointment at Middleville for the latter year being only nominal; and was a delegate to the General Conference of 1884.
Education: Wesleyan University (A. M., D. D.).

Benson, John George. Licensed to exhort at Springfield, N. Y., October 12, 1873, Lyman E. Marvin, pastor; to preach, Herkimer District Conference, April 14, 1874, Albert E. Corse, presiding elder; admitted May 5, 1875; full connection, April 20, 1877; deacon, April 22, 1877—Bowman; elder, April 18, 1880—Peck.
Appointments: 1875-76, West Sandy Creek; 1877-78, North Bay; 1879-80-81, Salisbury Center; 1882-83-84, Earlville; 1885-86-87, Cleveland; 1888-89, Utica, Centenary; 1890-91, Mannsville; 1892-93-94-95-96, Copenhagen; 1897-98-99-1900, Turin; 1901-02-03-04-05-06, West Winfield; 1907-08-09, Fort Covington.
Education: Falley Seminary, Fulton, N. Y.; Eastman's National Business College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Bent, George Washington. Licensed to exhort at Croghan, N. Y., in 1856, Michael Taylor, pastor; to preach, in the same place, 1857; deacon, May 3, 1874—Foster; admitted, May 5, 1874; full connection, April 7, 1876; elder, April 14, 1878—Gilbert Haven.

Appointments: 1874-75, New London; 1876-77-78, Vermillion, 1879-80-81, Florence and Redfield (the last year Redfield omitted); 1882-83, Norway and Gray; 1884, Constantia; 1885-86, Natural Bridge; 1887, Evans Mills; 1888, DePeyster, 1889-90-91, Florence; 1892-93, Constableville; 1894-95, Watson; 1896 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: Served New England Village, Mass., in 1872-73, and in various places during two years while at Boston Theological Seminary.

Education: Gouverneur Wesleyan Academy, Ives Seminary, Boston School of Theology.

Bramley, Alexander. Licensed to exhort in the autumn of 1858, and to preach a year later, Richard Decker, pastor of the Andes and Bovina charge, P. R. Brown, presiding elder, New York Conference; admitted, April 28, 1862; full connection, April 15, 1864; deacon, April 17, 1864—Baker; elder, April 22, 1866— Ames.

Appointments: 1862-63, Parishville; 1864-65, Fort Covington, (Bombay); 1866-67-68, Jordan; Central New York by change of boundaries, transferred back in 1869; 1869-70-71, Malone; 1872-73-74, Massena; 1875-76-77, Potsdam; 1878-79-80, Watertown, Arsenal Street; 1881-82-83, Utica, South Street; 1884-85-86-87, Saint Lawrence District; 1888-89-90-91-92, Pulaski; 1893-94-95-96-97, Lowville; 1898-99-1900-01-02, New Hartford; 1903-04-05, Sandy Creek; 1906 to 1909, superannuated. Delegate to General Conference, 1888.

Supply: 1861, Parishville; 1907, Harris and North Branch, in Northern Minnesota Conference; 1908, Hopkins, in same Conference; 1909, Minnehaha.

Education: Andes Academy (New York Conference Seminary), Concord Biblical Institute.

Brooks, Charles, W. Licensed to preach May 14, 1859, on the Geneva charge, Rock River Conference, David Higgins, pastor; admitted to Wisconsin Conference September 23, 1861; full connection, October 2, 1863; deacon, October 4, 1863—Scott; elder, October 5, 1865—Baker.

Appointments: 1861, Port Washington; 1862-63-64, Neenah; transferred, October 9, 1865, to Black River Conference; 1865-66, Brocketts; 1867, Lowville; 1868-69-70, Gouverneur; 1871-72-73, Potsdam Junction (Norwood); 1874-75-76, Waterville; 1877, West Winfield; 1878-79-80, Poland, (in 1878 Cold Brook was attached, 1879-80, Newport, and in 1880, Middleville); 1881-82-83, Turin; 1884, Pulaski; 1885-86-87, Theresa; 1888, Antwerp; 1889-90, Martinsburg; 1891-92-93, Port Leyden; 1894-95, Central Square; 1896-97-98, Williamstown; 1899 to 1909, superannuated.

Served in Christian Commission from April 5, to May 16, 1865, at Alexandria, Virginia.

Education: Cazenovia Seminary, Wesleyan University (A. M.,), Garrett Biblical Institute (B. D.).

Brooks, Jonathan Guernsey. Licensed to exhort on the Union Valley charge, Oneida Conference, June 18, 1854, Elias Bowen, presiding elder; to preach, April 6, 1857, same charge, D. W. Thurston, presiding elder; deacon, April 20, 1862—Ames; admitted to Oneida Conference, April 11, 1864; full connection, April 21, 1866; elder, April 12, 1868—Clark.

Appointments: 1864, North Pitcher, after six months (in October), removed by the presiding elder to Freeville to supply the place of the pastor whose health had failed; 1865, Freeville and Etna; 1866-67-68, Georgetown; 1869,* Amber; 1870-71, Borodino; 1872-73†-74, Steuben; 1875, Middleville; 1876-77, Cold Brook and Poland; 1878-79-80, Forestport; 1881-82, Jordanville; 1883-84-85, Brookfield and Leonardsville; 1886-87-88-89-90, Westmoreland; 1891-92-93-94-95, Knoxboro; 1896-97, Deansboro; 1898 to 1909, superannuated.

Supplied Keeneys Settlement, N. Y., 1862, and Spafford Hollow, 1863. Died August 5, 1909.

Brown, Samuel Ebenezer. Licensed to exhort October 8, 1852, Shelburn, Vt., S. L. Stillman, pastor; to preach, winter of 1854, Hinesburgh,

Vt., Burlington District of Troy Conference, Dr. Hurlburt, presiding elder; admitted, June 6, 1857; full connection, May 20, 1859; deacon, May 22, 1859—Scott; elder, April 28, 1861—Baker.

Appointments: 1857, Brick Church; 1858, Martville; 1859-60, South Butler and Savannah; 1861, South Mexico; 1862, Vermillion; 1863-64, Herkimer and Mohawk; 1865-66, Floyd and Oriskany; 1867-68, Brocketts; 1869* to 1872, superannuated; 1873 to 1877, supernumerary; 1878-79, Moira; 1880-81-82, Clinton; 1883-84, Theresa; 1885-86-87, Pulaski; 1888-89-90, Whitesboro; 1891-92, Vernon Center; 1893-94, Cleveland; 1895, Scriba; 1896-97-98, Central Square; 1899 to 1909, superannuated.

Education: Mexico Academy.

Elected member of the American Institute of Civics. Served in the Christian Commission, 1864 and 1865.

Born, Burlington, Vt., November 10, 1835; on father's side, descended from Peter Brown who came over in the Mayflower; on mother's side, from French Huguenots and Holland Dutch. Converted at age of 15, in Shelburn, Vt., under labors of J. E. Yates of the Troy Conference; licensed to exhort at age of 16, to preach at 19; joined Black River Conference at age of 21.

Brown, Smith Wellington. Licensed to preach by Rome, First Church, March 14, 1876, W. R. Cobb, presiding elder; ordained deacon at Boston, Mass., April 4, 1880—Andrews; admitted, April 17, 1880; full connection, April 14, 1882; elder, April 13, 1884—Harris.

Appointments: 1880-81-82, Ava; 1883-84-85, Springfield; 1886-87-88-89-90, Cherry Valley; 1891-92-93-94-95, Frankfort; 1896-97-98, Carthage; 1899-1900-01, Oswego, First; 1902-03-04-05-06-07-08, Utica, South Street; 1909 (till November) Rome, Liberty Street; 1909 (beginning November), Watertown District.

Supply: 1879, Middleton, Mass., New England Conference.

Education: Rome Free Academy, Boston University.

Brown, Ulysses Everett. Licensed to preach at Athens, Canada, December, 1891; renewed by Watertown District Conference, 1892, Samuel Call, presiding elder; admitted, April 18, 1892; full connection, April 21, 1894; deacon, April 22, 1894—Goodsell; elder, April 12, 1896—Joyce.

Appointments: 1892-93, Edwards and Fine; 1894-95-96, Plessis and Redwood; 1897-98, Depauville and Perch River; 1899-1900-01-02, Steuben; 1903-04-05, Mannsville; 1906-07-08-09, Whitesboro.

Education: Ottawa Normal College.

Bruce, Eli Converse. Licensed to exhort at Red Creek, N. Y., in 1845, Royal Houghton, pastor; to preach at Middletown, Conn., November 22, 1845, B. Creagh, presiding elder, admitted, June 23, 1846; full connection, July 6, 1848; deacon, July 9, 1848—Janes; elder, June 30, 1850—Waugh.

Appointments: 1846, Lee; 1847, East Canada Creek; 1848-49, Red Creek Academy; 1850-51, Floyd, 1852, Clayton; 1853 to 1860, principal of Gouverneur Wesleyan Seminary, in 1856, elected and appointed principal of Falley Seminary but did not serve; 1860-61, Syracuse, First Church; 1862, Lowville; 1863-64-65-66, Ogdensburg District; 1867-68-69, Carthage but served only till September 7, 1869, when he became principal of Black River Conference Seminary at Antwerp; 1870, ditto; 1871-72, Ogdensburg; 1873-74, Utica, First; 1875-76-77, Adams; 1878-79-80, Potsdam; 1881-82, Fulton; 1883 to 1890, supernumerary; 1891 to 1909, superannuated.

Supplied Furman Street Church in Syracuse from October, 1883, two years; and Skaneateles Falls from October, 1885, one year; Delegate to the General Conference of 1860, 1864, 1868, 1876.

Education: Wesleyan University (A. M.), Syracuse University (D. D.).

Bury, William Harold. Licensed to preach, March 8, 1867, by the Quarterly Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, Bacup, Eng-

land, Michael Johnson, superintendent of the circuit; deacon, April 20, 1873—Peck; admitted, April 22, 1873; full connection, May 1, 1875; elder, April 22, 1877—Bowman.

Appointments: 1873-74-75, Lawrence; 1876-77-78, Brasher; 1879-80-81, Pillar Point; 1882-83, Lawrence; 1884-85-86, Williamstown; 1887-88-89-90-91, Newport and Poland; 1892-93-94-95-96, West Winfield; 1897-98-99-1900-01, Theresa; 1902-03, Copenhagen; 1904-05-06-07, Brownville and Dexter; 1908-09, Philadelphia.

Supply: 1871, assistant pastor Oswego, First, six months; Rome, Court Street the balance of the Conference year; 1872, Lowell.

Education: Westminster College, London, England.

Caldwell, William Mallalieu. Licensed to preach at Johnson City, Tenn., 1899, Samuel Ketron, presiding elder; admitted, April 24, 1900; full connection, April 18, 1902; deacon, April 20, 1902—Andrews; elder, April 10, 1904—Merrill.

Appointments: 1900-01, Clayville; 1902-03, West Frankfort; 1904-05-06-07, Richfield Springs; 1908-09, Frankfort.

Supply: 1899, six months at Clayville.

Education: Grant University (A. B.); Licensed to practice Law in the courts of Tennessee, April 23, 1899.

Call, Samuel. Licensed to exhort at Potsdam, N. Y., October 22, 1852, O. M. Legate, pastor; to preach, at Fulton, Second Church, May 10, 1854, George Sawyer, presiding elder; admitted, June 25, 1856; full connection, June 4, 1858; deacon, June 6, 1858—Ames; elder, April 22, 1860—Simpson.

Appointments: 1856, Lawrence; 1857-58, Norfolk; 1859, Louisville; 1860, Ogdensburg; 1861-62, Watertown, Arsenal Street; 1863-64-65, Potsdam, 1866-67-68, Malone; 1869-70-71, Canton; 1872-73-74-75, Potsdam District (last year called St. Lawrence District); 1876, Watertown District; 1877-78, Watertown, State Street; 1879-80, Pulaski; 1881-82-83, Utica, First; 1884-85-86, Potsdam; 1887, Utica, Centenary; 1888, Little Falls; 1889-90-91-92-93-94, Watertown District; 1895-96, Boonville; 1897, Conference evangelist;; 1898, Steuben; 1899, Rome, Liberty Street; 1900-01, Utica, Dryer Memorial; 1902-03, Agent of Permanent Fund; 1904, Conference evangelist; 1905, Central Square and Malone; 1906, Agent of Northern Christian Advocate; 1907 to 1909, superannuated.

Was a reserve delegate to the General Conference of 1868, and took the seat of Rev. J. W. Armstrong, who went home before adjournment; and was a delegate in 1876, 1880, 1884, 1888, 1892.

Education: St. Lawrence Academy, Falley Seminary and Concord Biblical Institute.

Campbell, Hobert Lincoln. Licensed to exhort at Mt. Pleasant, 1883, G. M. Mead, presiding elder; licensed to preach by Oswego District Conference, 1886, G. M. Mead, presiding elder; admitted, April 19, 1887; full connection; April 13, 1889; deacon, April 14, 1889—Ninde; elder, April 19, 1891—Hurst.

Appointments: 1887-88, Florence; 1889-90, Bangor; 1891-92-93, North Lawrence; 1894-95, supernumerary; 1896-97, superannuated; 1898, supernumerary; 1899 to 1901, superannuated; 1902-03-04, Chaumont; 1905-06-07, Prospect; 1908, Leonardsville; 1909, Cherry Valley.

Supply: 1886, Durhamville; 1901, Chaumont.

Education: Mexico Academy.

Carey, Henry J. Licensed to exhort December, 1896, at Avoca, N. Y., W. E. Searls, pastor; to preach, November 15, 1898, at Madison, N. J., by the Newark District Conference; admitted April 19, 1902; full connection, April 14, 1905; deacon, April 16, 1905—Berry; elder April 17, 1908—Moore.

Appointments: 1902-03, Redfield; 1904, North Bay; 1905-06-07-08-09, McConnellsville.

Supply: 1901, Redfield.
Education: Avoca High School, Drew Theological Seminary.

Carley, Silas Graves. Licensed to exhort March 12, 1879, by B. F. Wood, presiding elder of Watertown District; licensed to preach, February 28, 1882, by Watertown District Conference, W. Watson, presiding elder; deacon, April 8 1888—Foster; admitted, April 20, 1891; full connection, April 21, 1893, elder, April 12, 1896—Joyce.
Appointments: 1891-92-93-94-95, Lorraine; 1896-97-98-99, Champion; 1900-01-02-03, Depauville; 1904-05-06, Hermon; 1907-08-09, Burke.
Supply: 1882-83, Woods Mills; 1884-85, DePeyster; 1887-88, Montague; 1889-90, Watson.
Education: Carthage Union Free School, Ives Seminary.

Carter, Charles Herbert. Licensed to exhort, 1897, Bloomfield, N. J.; to preach, 1901, at Newark, N. J., by the Newark District Conference; admitted, April 18, 1906; full connection, April 16, 1908; deacon April 19, 1908—Moore.
Appointments: 1906, East Springfield; 1907-08-09, Evans Mills.
Supply: 1905, East Springfield.
Education: Centenary Collegiate Institute, Hackettstown, N. J.; Syracuse University (A. B.).

Ciegler, Frank Berton. Licensed to exhort, March 11, 1900. at Ava, N. Y., D. Raymond Smith, pastor; to preach, 1902, at Oriskany Falls, N. Y., David Pierce, presiding elder; admitted, April 9, 1904; full connection, April 20, 1906; deacon, April 22, 1906—Goodsell; elder, April 19, 1908—Moore.
Appointments: 1904-05, Macomb; 1906-07, Felts Mills; 1908-09, Sacketts Harbor.
Supply: 1903, Macomb.
Education: Cazenovia Seminary, Teachers' Training schools, Oneida High School.

Chase, Wesley Dempster. Licensed to exhort, April, 1863, Fulton, John D. Adams, pastor; to preach, April 11, 1863, at Fulton, N. Y., Charles L. Dunning, presiding elder; admitted, April 22, 1863; full connection, April 20, 1865; deacon, same day— Kingsley; elder, April 21, 1867—Janes.
Appointments: 1863, Ellisburg; 1864, Jordan; 1865, chaplain in the army, 1866, Geddes; 1867, superannuated; 1868-69, Watertown, State Street; 1870, transferred to Colorado Conference; 1870-71-72, Central City, Colo.; 1873, returned, DePeyster; 1874-75-76, Norwood (Potsdam Junction); 1877-78-79, Utica, South Street; 1880-81-82, Herkimer; 1883-84-85, Gouverneur; 1886-87-88-89-90, Fulton; 1891-92-93, Camden; 1894-95-96-97-98, Ogdensburg; 1899-1900-01-02, Carthage; 1903-04-05, Herkimer; 1906-07-08, Utica, Centenary; 1909, General Secretary of the New York State Sabbath Association.
Served as Chaplain in the 193d Regiment, N. Y. St. Vol., from April 1865, to February, 1866.
Education: Falley Seminary, Wesleyan University (A. M.).

Cheeseman, Elliot Edward. Licensed to exhort about August 1, 1881, at Theresa, N. Y., M. M. Rice, pastor; to preach, March 1, 1882, by Watertown District Conference, William Watson, presiding elder; admitted on trial in the Wisconsin Conference, which met October 3, 1883, and stationed at Racine Union Church; 1884, admitted to the Northern New York Conference by transfer; full connection, April 17, 1886; deacon, April 18, 1886—Merrill; elder, April 8, 1888—Foster.
Appointments: 1884-85-86, Richville; 1887-88-89, Philadelphia; 1890-91-92, Rensselaer Falls; 1893-94, Heuvelton; 1895-96-97, Chateaugay; 1898-99-1900-01, Hannibal; 1902-03-04-05-06-07, Antwerp; 1908-09, Clayton.

Supply: 1883, Palmyra, Wisconsin
Education: Hungerford Collegiate Institute, Adams, N. Y.; Garrett Biblical Institute.

Cheeseman, Edwin Salisbury. Licensed to exhort, March 31, 1854, at Theresa, N. Y., F. H. Stanton, presiding elder; to preach, April 9, 1859, same place, B. Holmes, presiding elder; deacon, April 28, 1861—Baker; admitted, April 30, 1861; full connection, April 16,1863; elder, April 17, 1864—Baker.
Appointments: 1861-62, Ellisburg; 1863-64, Copenhagen; 1865-66-67, Washingtonville; 1868-69, Cleveland; in 1868, Central New York Conference by change of boundaries, transferred back, 1870; 1870-71-72, Turin; 1873-74, Belleville; 1875-76-77, Clayton; 1878-79-80, Port Leyden; 1881-82-83, Heuvelton; 1884, supernumerary; 1885-86-87, Hermon; 1888-89-90-91-92, Theresa; 1893-94-95-96-97, Cape Vincent; 1898-99, supernumerary; 1900 to 1909, superannuated.
Education: Gouverneur Seminary, Concord Biblical Institute.

Churchill, Frank Nathaniel. Licensed to exhort, May 14, 1905, at Palo Alto, California, H. E. Milnes, pastor; to preach, September 25, 1905, at Marion, S. D., J. P. Jenkins, presiding elder; admitted, April 21, 1906; full connection, April 16, 1908; deacon, April 19, 1908—Moore.
Appointments: 1906-07-08, Central Square; 1909, New Haven.
Supply: 1905, June 1, to October 1, Marion, S. D.; October 1, to April 15, Central Square.
Education: Oswego Normal, Cazenovia Seminary, Hamilton College, (M. S.).

Corbin, Aaron B. Licensed to preach at Middlebury, Vt., June 27, 1897, J. G. Gooding, presiding elder; admitted, April 24, 1900; full connection, April 25, 1903; deacon, April 26, 1903—Cranston; elder April 16, 1905—Berry.
Appointments: 1900-01-02, Great Bend; 1903-04, Ellisburg; 1905-06, Trenton; 1907-08-09, New York Mills.
Supply: 1898-99, Bucksbridge.
Education: Potsdam State Normal School, and Middlebury College.

Cornwell, John Gibson. Licensed to preach at Millville, N. J., Aug. 28, 1891, Geo. L. Dobbins, presiding elder; deacon, March 17, 1895—Foss; admitted, March 18, 1897, Philadelphia Conference; full connection, March 17, 1899; elder, March 19, 1899—Ninde.
Appointments: Philadelphia Conference, 1897-98, New London and West Grove; 1899-1900-01-02, Tower City and Hatboro; 1903-04, Fitzwater Street, Philadelphia; 1905-06-07-08, South Chester; transferred to Northern New York Conference, November, 1908; 1908-09, Fulton, First Church.
Supply: 1895-96, Bainbridge and Berrysburg, Pa.

Crandall, Eugene Merritt. Licensed to exhort at Canton, N. Y., 1893, C. E. Dorr, pastor; to preach, Grace Church Quarterly Conference, Boston, Mass., 1894; admitted to Genesee Conference, October, 1895; full connection, 1897; deacon, 1897—Hurst; elder, 1899—Walden.
Appointments: 1895-96-97, Fowlerville; 1898-99-1900, Alabama; transferred to the Northern New York Conference, October, 1901; 1901-02-03, Newport; 1904-05-06-07, Madrid; 1908-09, Chateaugay.
Education: St. Lawrence University (B. S.), Boston University.

Culligan, John C. Licensed to exhort at Ithaca, N. Y., W. H. Annable, presiding elder, September 12, 1882; to preach by Cazenovia District Conference (Central New York Conference), Thomas Tousey, presiding elder, December 18, 1883; deacon, April 13, 1890—Newman; admitted, April 20, 1891; full connection, April 21, 1893; elder, April 12, 1896—Joyce.
Appointments: 1891-92, Minetto; 1893-94, Chateaugay; 1895-96-97,

Tupper Lake; 1898, Prospect; 1899, supernumerary, private tutor in family going to Europe; 1900, Chaumont; 1901-02-03, Norfolk; 1904-05, Morristown; 1906-07, Hannibal; 1908, Cleveland; 1909, Jordanville.

Supply: 1885, Lincklean and Union Valley (Cenral New York Conference); 1887, (six months) assistant at Heuvelton; 1887, (October) 1888-89-90, Minetto; 1896 (latter half of year) assistant pastor, Asbury Park, New Jersey; 1897, Sea Island City (New Jersey Conference) although appointed to Tupper Lake that year.

Education: Cazenovia Seminary, Syracuse University (A. B.).

Curtis, Frederick G. Received April 9, 1904; full connection, April 20, 1906;

Appointments: 1904, Edwards; 1905-06, Fine; 1907-08-09, Delta; later, transferred to South Kansas Conference, and returned by transfer to Northern New York Conference, March 19, 1910.

Supply: 1903, Edwards.

Danforth, Albert Calvin. Licensed to exhort, March 26, 1868, at Fort Covington, N. Y., Charles Manson, pastor; to preach, in September, 1868, same charge, L. L. Palmer, presiding elder; admitted, May 1, 1871; deacon, June 20, 1872—Peck; full connection, April 19, 1873; elder, May 2, 1875—Scott.

Appointments: 1871-72, Dickinson; 1873, Bangor; 1874-75-76, West Stockholm; 1877-78-79, Burke; 1880, Rodman; 1881-82-83, Nicholville (Dickinson); 1884-85-86, Turin; 1887-88-89-90-91, Copenhagen; 1892-93, supernumerary; 1894, Evans Mills; 1895-96-97-98-99, Clayton; 1900, Mexico; 1901-02-03-04-05-06, Watertown District; 1907-08, Adams; 1909, Field Agent of the Conference Permanent Fund, and on the death of M. G. Seymour, served part of year as Superintendent of Watertown District.

Supply: 1869, six months at Bangor; 1870, Dickinson.

Served in Company D, 14th N. Y., Heavy Artillery, as a Corporal from January 1, 1864, to September 6, 1865; wounded March 25, 1865; discharged, September 6, 1865.

Education: Fort Covington Academy.

Died March 26, 1910.

Darling, Norman Addison. Licensed to preach, February 18, 1898, Rockaway Valley, N. J., S. P. Hammond, presiding elder; admitted to Wyoming Conference, April, 1900; deacon, April 22, 1900—Foss; full connection, April 19, 1902; elder, April 20, 1902—Merrill.

Appointments: 1900-01, Hawleyton, N. Y., Wyoming Conference; transferred to Northern New York Conference; 1902-03, Taberg; 1904-05-06, Westmoreland; 1907-08-09, Plessis and Redwood.

Supply: 1898-99-1900, (19 months) Rockaway Valley, in Newark Conference.

Education: Fairfield Seminary, Ives Seminary, Hamilton College, Allegheny College (A. M.), Drew Theological Seminary (B. D.), Taylor University (Ph. D.).

Davis, Judson William. Licensed to preach, February 25, 1890, at Clinton, N. Y., by Utica District Conference, W. F. Markham, presiding elder; deacon, April 14, 1895—Andrews; admitted, April 15, 1895, Wyoming Conference; full connection, April 16, 1898; elder, April 14, 1901—Fowler.

Appointments: 1895, South New Berlin; 1896, Chenango Forks; 1897-98-99, Smyrna; 1900-01-02, Edmeston; 1903 to 1905, supernumerary; transferred to Northern New York Conference; 1906, Taberg; 1907-08, Westmoreland; 1909, supernumerary.

Supply: 1894, South New Berlin (Wyoming Conference); 1905, October to 1906 April, Taberg.

Education: Cazenovia Seminary, Syracuse University.

Davis, Herbert Eugene. Licensed to exhort, September 3, 1900, at Watertown, N. Y., M. Y. Bovard, pastor; to preach, March 12, 1901, at

Mannsville, N. Y., A. D. Webster, presiding elder; admitted, April 10, 1902; full connection, April 8, 1904; deacon, April 10, 1904—Merrill; elder, April 22, 1906—Goodsell.

Appointments: 1902, Martinsburg; 1903-04-05, Barnes Corners; 1906-07, Spragueville; 1908-09, Westville and Constable.

Supply: 1900, eight months at Champion; 1901, Martinsburg.

Education: Folts Mission Institute, Adams Collegiate Institute, Watertown High School.

Davis, Sylvanus Stanford. Licensed to preach at Central Church, Wilkesbarre, Pa., 1895, John G. Eckman, presiding elder; admitted, April 15, 1905; full connection, April 20, 1907; deacon, April 21, 1907—Wilson; elder, April 18, 1909—McDowell.

Appointments: 1905, Parish; 1906-07-08, Liberty Street, Rome; 1909, Adams.

Supply: 1896, Union Church, Hanover Green, Pa., 1897-98-99, Old Forge, Pa., Wyoming Conference; 1902, Texas; 1903-04, Parish.

Education: Wyoming Seminary, Syracuse University (A. B.).

Davy, Leonard Louis. Licensed to exhort, May 11, 1866, on the Wilton circuit, Wesleyan Methodist Church, Canada West, E. A. Ward, pastor; to preach, June 11, 1870, Turin, N. Y., Thomas Richey, presiding elder; admitted, April 15, 1872; full connection, May 2, 1874; deacon, May 3, 1874—Foster; elder, April 9, 1876—Andrews.

Appointments: 1872-73, Ellisburg; 1874-75-76, Sacketts Harbor; 1877-78, West Martinsburg; 1879-80-81, Evans Mills; 1882-83-84, Champion; 1885-86-87, Salisbury; 1888-89-90-91-92, North Bay; 1893-94-95-96-97, Pennelville; 1898, supernumerary; 1899-1900-01-02-03-04-05, Amboy Center; 1906 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1871, Ellisburg; 1906-07-08-09, Scriba and Lansing.

Day, Elmer Ellsworth. Licensed to exhort at Woolstock, Iowa, March 20, 1892, J. R. Faus, pastor; to preach, at Mt. Vernon, Iowa, April 18, 1893, J. B. Albrook, presiding elder; admitted into the North Nebraska Conference, September, 1895; full connection, October 2, 1897; deacon, October 4, 1897—Ninde; elder, October 1, 1899—Warren.

Appointments: 1895, Cairo; 1896, Walbach; 1897-98, Pleasant Valley; 1899, Coggon, Iowa, (Assistant Pastor); 1900-01-02, Scotia; transferred to Northern New York Conference; 1903-04-05-06, Chasm Falls; 1907, Louisville; 1908-09, Belmont

Supply: 1894, Greeley, Nebraska.

Education: normal school, Algona, Iowa; Academy of Cornell College, Iowa.

Day, John Franklin. Licensed to exhort, 1903, at Massena, S. S. Cobb, pastor; to preach, February, 1905, St. Lawrence District Conference, O. B. Coit, presiding elder; admitted, April 21, 1906; full connection, April 16, 1908; deacon, April 19, 1908—Moore.

Appointments: 1906-07, Bombay; 1908-09, Tupper Lake.

Supply 1904 (December)—1905, Bombay.

Education: public and high school at Cornwall, Ontario.

Dewey, Sanger. Licensed to exhort, September 15, 1844, on the Turin charge, Jesse Penfield, pastor; to preach, March 18, 1848, on the Boonville charge, B. I. Diefendorf, presiding elder; admitted, June 22, 1849; full connection, July 2, 1851; deacon, July 6, 1851—Janes; elder, June 5, 1853—Simpson.

Appointments: 1849, Oriskany Mission; 1850, East Canada Creek; 1851-52, Marcy; 1853-54, Brocketts Bridge; 1855-56, Delta; 1857-58, New London; 1859-60, North Manlius; 1861-62, Jordan; 1863-64-65, Sackets Harbor; 1866-67-68, Hermon; 1869-70, Rodman; 1871-72-73-74, Ogdensburg District; 1875, Antwerp; 1876-77-78, Brownville; 1879-80-81, Martinsburg; 1882-83-84, Taberg; 1885-86-87, Delta and Westernville; 1888-

89-90-91-92, Deansville; 1893-94-95, Vernon Center; 1896-97-98-99-1900, Constableville; 1901 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: Served as junior preacher on the Steuben charge, one year, 1848.

Education: Lowville Academy.

Dibble, Stephen Theodore. Licensed to exhort, April 12, 1873, on the Vienna charge, B. S. Wright, presiding elder; to preach, June 20, 1874, on the same charge, H. M. Danforth, presiding elder; deacon, April 14, 1878—Haven; admitted, April 15, 1878; full connection, April 15, 1880; elder, April 16, 1882—Andrews.

Appointments: 1878-79-80, West Sandy Creek; 1881-82-83,New Haven; 1884-85-86, Hannibal; 1887-88, West Winfield; 1889-90-91-92, Gouverneur; 1893-94-95-96-97, Fulton, First; 1898-99-1900-01-02-03, Oswego District; 1904-05-06-07-08-09, Ogdensburg, First.

Supply: 1877, Mallory.

Education: Cazenovia Seminary.

Dowd, Matthew Hamilton. Licensed to preach on Wallace Circuit, Ontario (Wesleyan Methodist), February, 1880; admitted, April 23, 1894; deacon, April 22, 1894—Goodsell; full connection, April 17, 1897; elder, April 23, 1900—Walden.

Appointments: 1894, Felts Mills; 1895, Delta; 1896-97-98-99-1900, Forestport; 1901-02, Waddington; 1903-04, Burke; 1905-06-07-08, Orwell and Richland; 1909, Moira and Brushton.

Supply: 1893, Felts Mills.

Education: St. Catherines Collegiate Institute, Ontario.

Duesler, Marshall E. Licensed to preach by Herkimer District Conference, March 6, 1888, William Watson, presiding elder; admitted, April 14, 1890; full connection, April 15, 1892; deacon, April 17, 1892—Bowman; elder, April 21, 1895—Mallalieu.

Appointments: 1890, Montague; 1891-92-93-94-95, Norway; 1896, supernumerary; 1897-98, Ohio; 1899-1900-01-02-03, Leonardsville; 1904-05, Port Leyden; 1906-07-08, Jordanville; 1909, Cleveland.

Supply: 1888, Croghan; 1889, Montague.

English, William Herbert. Licensed to exhort, 1895, at Iroquois, Canada, F. G. Lett, pastor; to preach, 1896, at the same place; admitted, April 20, 1901; full connection, April 25, 1903; deacon, April 26, 1903—Cranston; elder, April 16, 1905—Berry.

Appointments: 1901, Lisbon (Flackville); 1902-03-04-05-06, Fort Covington; 1907-08, Hamilton; 1909, Massena.

Supply: 1900, Lisbon (Flackville).

Education: Ontario Normal College, and Queen's University, Canada.

Ernst, George. Licensed to exhort, April 10, 1875, at Floyd, N. Y., J. H. Buck, pastor; to preach, June 8, 1875, by Utica District Conference, W. R. Cobb, presiding elder; deacon, April 13, 1879—Harris; admitted, April 16, 1879; full connection, April 16, 1881; elder, April 15, 1883—Wiley.

Appointments: 1879-80, Durhamville; 1881, West Sandy Creek; 1882-83-84, Hannibal Center; 1885, Ava; 1886-87-88-89-90, Lorraine; 1891, Martinsburg; 1892-93-94-95, Brownville; 1896-97-98-99, Newport; 1900-01, Parish; 1902-03-04, Cape Vincent; 1905-06-07-08-09, Chaumont.

Supply: 1878, Oriskany Falls (two months before Conference), and Mallory (six months commencing in the fall).

Education: Whitestown Seminary.

Ernst, Henry. Licensed to exhort April 10, 1875, at Floyd, N. Y., J. H. Buck, pastor; Licensed to preach, June 8, 1875, by Utica District Conference, W. R. Cobb, presiding elder; admitted, April 15, 1878; deacon, April 13, 1879—Harris; full connection, April 15, 1880; elected elder, April 14, 1882, but was called from the seat of Conference

before ordination, and afterwards went to the Troy Conference, held at Troy, N. Y., and was ordained April 23, 1882—Simpson.

Appointments: 1878, Point Peninsula; 1879-80-81, Ellisburg; 1882-83-84, Warren; 1885-86-87, West Martinsburg; 1888-89-90-91-92, Champion; 1893-94-95-96-97, Rodman; 1898, Remsen; 1899-1900-01-02-03, Brookfield; 1904-05-06-07, Middleville and Fairfield; 1908-09, Knoxboro.

Supply: 1876-77, Edwards and Fine.

Education: Whitestown Seminary.

Fairhead, George Benjamin. Licensed to exhort in 1860, at New York Mills, N. Y., G. W. Bridge, pastor; to preach, same place, in 1866, G. S. White, pastor; admitted (Oneida Conference), April 13, 1868; full connection (Central New York Conference), April 16, 1870; deacon, April 17, 1870—Simpson; elder, April 7, 1872—Simpson.

Appointments: 1868-69,* Brookfield; 1870-71, Steuben; 1872-73,† Norway; 1874-75-76, Springfield; 1877-78-79, Starkville; 1880-81-82, Mannsville; 1883-84-85, Mohawk; 1886 to 1893, supernumerary; 1894-95-96, Macomb; 1897-98-99, Floyd; 1900-01-02, Hamilton; 1903 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1868, Lowell.

Served in the 117th Regiment, N. Y. Vol., Campany D, as sergeant and sergeant-major, and second lieutenant, from July 24, 1862, to June 8, 1865. Published Grand Army Journal from 1886 to 1893.

Education: Whitestown Seminary, Cazenovia Seminary.

Felshaw, Abner Jefferson. Licensed to preach, March 1, 1880, at Lee Center, N. Y., L. D. White, presiding elder; admitted, April 18, 1882; full connection, April 11, 1884; deacon, April 13, 1884—Harris; elder, April 18, 1886—Merrill.

Appointments: 1882, Clayville; 1883-84-85, Schuyler and West Frankfort; 1886-87-88-89-90, Dolgeville; 1891, Madison; 1892-93-94-95, Madrid; 1896-97-98-99-1900, Richfield Springs; 1901-02-03, Port Leyden; 1904-05-06-07, Philadelphia; 1908-09, Alexandria Bay.

Supply: 1881, Clayville.

Ferguson, Raymond Hill. Licensed to exhort, December, 1889, at St. Johnsville, N. Y., William Watson, presiding elder; to preach by St. Lawrence District Conference, February, 1890, H. W. Bennett, presiding elder; admitted, April 20, 1891; full connection, April 21, 1893; deacon, April 23, 1893—FitzGerald; elder, April 21, 1895—Mallalieu.

Appointments: 1891-92-93, Bangor; 1894-95-96-97-98, DeKalb; 1899-1900-01, Antwerp; 1902-03-04-05-06-07, Utica, Dryer Memorial; 1908-09, Richfield Springs.

Supply: 1890, Dickinson.

Education: Richfield Springs Seminary, Ilion Academy.

Fisk, Samuel Manchester. Licensed to exhort in October, 1849, at Cazenovia, N. Y., Silas Comfort, presiding elder; to preach, February 25, 1854, at Auburn, N. Y., Fitch Reed, presiding elder; admitted, Oneida Conference, July 31, 1855; full connection, April 23, 1857; deacon, April 26, 1857—Scott; elder, April 24, 1859—Simpson.

Appointments: 1855, Ludlowville, 1856-57, Owasco; 1858-59, Cayuga; 1860-61, Genoa; 1862-63, Onondaga and Jamesville; 1864-65, South Onondaga; 1866-67, McGrawville; 1868, Auburn, Wall Street; 1869*-70, Boonville; 1871-72, Verona; 1873†-74, Lee Center; 1875-76, East Hamilton; 1877-78-79, Sackets Harbor; 1880, supernumerary; 1881, New London; 1882, Oriskany Falls; 1883-84, Ava; 1885, Amboy; 1886-87, Gilberts Mills; 1888-89-90, Springfield; 1891-92-93, Watson; 1894-95, Barnes Corners; 1896-97, Three Mile Bay; 1898, Montague; 1899-1900-01, Barnes Corners; 1902 to 1909, superannuated.

Education: Cazenovia Seminary.

Flint, Robert. Licensed to exhort on the Steuben charge in August, 1858, J. W. Roberts, pastor; to preach, from the same charge, in March,

1859, Gardiner Baker, presiding elder; admitted, April 30, 1861; full connection, April 16, 1863; deacon, April 19, 1863—Janes; elder, April 23, 1865—Kingsley.

Appointments: 1861-62, Lee Center; 1863-64-65, Steuben; 1866-67-68, Marcy and Schuyler; 1869,* Remsen; 1870-71-72, Lee Center; 1873-74, Rome, Court Street; 1875-76-77, Sauquoit; 1878-79, New York Mills; 1880-81-82, Knoxboro; 1883-84-85, Madison; 1886-87-88, Clinton; 1889-90-91-92-93, Black River; 1894-95, Watertown, Bethany; 1896-97-98-99--1900, Philadelphia; 1901 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1901, Great Bend (part of year). Served six weeks in the Christian Commission.

Education: Fort Plain, N. Y.; Oberlin, Ohio.

Fretz, Jordan Raymond. Licensed to exhort at Doylestown, Pa., July, 1897, W. S. McDowell, presiding elder; to preach, December 7, 1897; admitted, April 22, 1899; full connection, April 19, 1901; deacon, April 21, 1901—Fowler; elder, April 26, 1903—Cranston.

Appointments: 1899-1900-01-02, Prospect and Hinkley; 1903-04-05, Jordanville and South Columbia; 1906-07-08-09, Sauquoit and Willowvale.

Education: Pennington Seminary, Dickinson Preparatory School, Drew Theological Seminary.

Fritts, Harry Burnet. Licensed to exhort about May 1, 1881, on the Twin Springs charge, Kansas, W. T. Robinson, pastor; to preach, November 3, 1881, Fort Scott District Conference (South Kansas Conference), E. C. Boaz, presiding elder; admitted (South Kansas Conference), March 13, 1882; received as a transferred probationer, April 18, 1882; full connection, April 11, 1884; deacon, April 13, 1884—Harris; elder, April 18, 1886—Merrill.

Appointments: 1882-83, Ellisburg; 1884, Granby Center; 1885-86-87, St. Lawrence; 1888, Cape Vincent; 1889-90, Hamilton; 1891-92-93, Cherry Valley; 1894-95-96, Turin; 1897-98-99-1900-01, Copenhagen; 1902-03-04-05-06-07, Black River; 1908, Trenton; 1909, East Hamilton.

Supply: Osage Indian Mission (South Kansas Conference) from September 1, 1881, to March 5, 1882.

Education: Unadilla Academy, Syracuse High School.

Fulton, Frederick James. Licensed to exhort at Belleville, December 15, 1893, W. M. Holbrook, pastor; to preach, at Lowville, March 12, 1895, by Adams District Conference; admitted, April 4, 1896; full connection, April 16, 1898; deacon, April 17, 1898—Ninde; elder, April 21, 1901—Fowler.

Appointments: 1896, Wells Island; 1897-98-99, Pillar Point; 1900-01-02, Ohio; 1903-04, Steuben; 1905, Lorraine; 1906, North Mexico; 1907, Altmar; 1908-09, supernumerary.

Supply: 1895, Wells Island; 1909, Redfield.

Education: Union Academy, Belleville, N. Y.; Garrett Biblical Institute.

Gabriel, Basil Raphael. Licensed to preach, March 13, 1900, Fifth Avenue, Troy, N. Y., Thomas A. Griffin, presiding elder, Troy Conference; admitted, April 21, 1906; deacon, April 22, 1906—Goodsell; full connection, April 16, 1908; elder, April 19, 1908—Moore.

Appointments: 1906-07-08-09, Heuvelton.

Supply: 1900, Fair Haven, Vermont, Baptist Church, part of year; 1901, Sherman Park, M. E. Church, Syracuse; 1902, Maple View and Colosse, N. Y., Union Churches; 1903-04, Lock Berlin, N. Y.; 1905, Wandell Memorial, Staten Island.

Education: public schools, Armenia; Troy Conference Academy; Syracuse University (A. B.); Drew Theological Seminary (B. D.); Post-Graduate work(one year)at Columbia University.

Gardner, William Anson. Licensed to exhort at Little Falls, N. Y., May 2, 1905, W. D. Marsh, pastor; to preach, at Frankfort, N. Y., March 1907, W. H. MacClenthen, presiding elder; admitted, April 19, 1907; full connection, April 17, 1909; deacon, April 18, 1909—McDowell.

Appointments: 1907-08-09, Starkville and Van Hornesville.

Supply: 1906, assistant pastor at South Side Union Church, Little Falls, N. Y.; and Starkville and Van Hornesville.

Garrett, William Philip. Licensed to exhort, 1886, at Utica, N. Y., F. H. Beck, pastor; to preach, 1887, at Franklin, N. Y., Kingston District, New York Conference, B. H. Burch, presiding elder; admitted, 1889, Central New York Conference; full connection, 1891; deacon, 1891—Joyce; elder, 1893—Warren.

Appointments: 1889-90, East Syracuse; 1891-92, Morrisville; 1893, supernumerary; 1894-95, West Eaton; 1896-97-98-99-1900, McGraw; 1901, Newfield; 1902-03-04, Fleming; 1905-06, Onondaga Valley; transferred to Northern New York Conference; 1907-08-09, Lafargeville.

Education: Utica Academy, Hamilton College (A. M.).

Gearhart, Clyde Meade. Licensed to exhort, 1895, at New Bethlehem, Pa., W. S. Gearhart, pastor; to preach, 1896, by the New Castle District Conference, Erie Conference; admitted into the Erie Conference in 1901; transferred to the Northern New York Conference in 1902; full connection, April 14, 1905; deacon, April 16, 1905—Berry; elder, April 21, 1907—Wilson.

Appointments: 1901, Home Missionary to New Mexico; 1902-03-04, Sackets Harbor; 1905-06, Lafargeville; 1907, West Winfield; 1908, supernumerary; 1909, Mohawk.

Education: Grove City College (A. B.), Boston University School of Theoology.

Goodwin, William Clark. Licensed to exhort, May 21, 1864, on Louisville charge, Ebenezer Briggs, pastor; to preach, same charge, September 4, 1869, L. L. Palmer, presiding elder; admitted, May 1, 1871; full connection, April 19, 1873; deacon, April 20, 1873—Peck; elder, May 2, 1875—Scott.

Appointments: 1871-72, Brasher; 1873-74-75, Colton; 1876-77-78, Lawrence; 1879 to 1909, superannuated.

Served in the 92d Regiment, N. Y. Vol., Company K, as a private, from October, 1861, to July, 1862. Re-enlisted in 91st Regiment, N. Y. Vol., Company F, as a private, and served from September 1, 1864, to June 7, 1865.

Supply: 1870, Brasher Falls; 1882, Elk Falls and 1883, six months at Moline, in South Kansas Conference.

Grant, LeRoy. Licensed to exhort, June 10, 1863, at Freetown, N. Y., E. P. Beebee, pastor; to preach, in March, 1865, same charge, R. O. Beebee, pastor; admitted (Oneida Conference), April 25, 1866; full connection, April 9, 1868; deacon, April 12, 1868—Clark; elder (Central New York Conference), April 17, 1870—Simpson.

Appointments: 1866, Union Valley; 1867-68, Freetown; 1869*-70, Varna and Etna; 1871-72, South Richland; 1873†-74, Orwell; 1875, Granby Center; 1876-77, Gilberts Mills; 1878-79, Amboy; 1880-81, Vienna; 1882-83, Williamstown; 1884-85, Norway and Gray; 1886, Schuyler and West Frankfort; 1887, Richville; 1888-89, Depauville; 1890, Natural Bridge; 1891 to 1897, supernumerary; 1898, Redfield, 1899, New Bremen; 1900-01, Pillar Point; 1902, Barnes Corners; 1903 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1865, five months at DeRuyter and Sheds Corners; 1895, Lassellsville.

Education: Cazenovia Seminary, Garrett Biblical Institute.

Gray, Lemuel Benjamin. Licensed to exhort in 1867, on the Springfield charge, George Parsons, pastor; to preach, February 19, 1870, same charge, A. B. Gregg, presiding elder; admitted (Central New York Conference), April 22, 1871; full connection (Northern New York Confer-

ence), April 19, 1873; deacon, April 20, 1873—Peck; elder May 2, 1875—Scott.

Appointments: 1871-72-73,† Cold Brook; 1874-75-76, Cedar Lake; 1877, supernumerary; 1878-79-80, Brocketts and Oppenheim; 1881-82-83, Cherry Valley; 1884-85-86, Fairfield and Middleville; 1887-88-89, Earlville; 1890-91-92, Philadelphia; 1893-94-95-96-97, Remsen; 1898-99-1900, Cape Vincent; 1901-02-03, Middleville and Fairfield; 1904-05, Sauquoit; 1906-07-08, West Frankfort and West Schuyler; 1909, Leonardsville.

Supply: 1870, six months at Springfield.

Education: Cooperstown Seminary.

Greenfield, Samuel Joseph. Licensed to exhort in December, 1881, at Metropolitan Methodist Episcopal Church, Ottawa, Canada, J. H. George, pastor; admitted on trial into the Bay of Quinte Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Canada, May 15, 1882; full connection, May 24, 1884; deacon, May 25, 1884—Carman; admitted, April 13, 1885, as a deacon and in full connection from the Methodist Episcopal Church of Canada; elder, April 18, 1886—Merrill.

Appointments: (Canada) 1882-83, Lansdown, Ont.; (Northern New York Conference) 1885-86, Nicholville; 1887-88-89, Fort Covington and Bombay; 1890-91-92, Chateaugay; 1893-94-95-96, Gouverneur; 1897-98-99-1900-01-02-03, Rome, First; 1904, Oswego, Trinity; 1905-06-07-08-09, Ilion. Delegate to General Conference, 1908.

Supply: 1884, Lisbon.

Education: Ottawa, Canada.

Griggs, Leroy A. Licensed to exhort at Red Creek, N. Y., in 1904, P. J. Williams, pastor; to preach, at Wolcott, N. Y., September 15, 1904, by the Auburn District Conference; admitted, April 21, 1906; full connection, April 16, 1908; deacon, April 19, 1908—Moore.

Appointments: 1906, Clayville and Cedar Lake; 1907-08-09, Oriskany Falls.

Supply: 1905, Cedar Lake.

Education: Red Creek High School, Geneseo State Normal, Syracuse University.

Hall, Julius Edgar. Licensed to exhort, May 20, 1874, at Sidney Plains, N. Y., J. C. Shelland, pastor; to preach, March 15, 1876, by the Otsego District Conference (Wyoming Conference) Henry Wheeler, presiding elder; admitted, April 17, 1880; full connection, April 14, 1882; deacon, April 16, 1882—Andrews; elder, April 13, 1884—Harris.

Appointments: 1880-81, Oxbow; 1882-83-84, Lafargeville; 1885-86-87, Colton; 1888-89-90, Steuben; 1891 to 1900, supernumerary; 1901 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1879, eleven months at Spragues Corners (Spragueville).

Education: Fort Edward Institute.

Hall, William Hampton. Licensed to preach, December 17, 1870, at Cazenovia, N. Y., A. L. York, pastor; deacon, April 9, 1876—Andrews; admitted, April 24, 1877; full connection, April 11, 1879; elder, April 16, 1882—Andrews.

Appointments: 1877, Parish; 1878-79-80, South Richland; 1881, Alexandria Bay; 1882, Hermon; 1883, Oswego, First; 1884, supernumerary; 1885 to 1888, superannuated; 1889-90-91, Parish; 1892, superannuated; 1893, Vermillion; 1894, supernumerary; 1895 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1874-75, Mallory; 1876, Parish.

Education: Cazenovia Seminary, Syracuse University (A. M.).

Hammond, Jonathan Brace. Licensed to exhort, March 14, 1860, on the Lawrence charge, A. C. Woodward, pastor; to preach, in 1862, at Bangor, L. D. White, presiding elder; admitted, April 25, 1865 from Bangor, C. L. Dunning, presiding elder, J. L. Humphrey, pastor; full connection, April 20, 1867; deacon, April 21, 1867—Janes; elder, April 18, 1869—Clark.

Appointments. 1865-66, Belmont; 1867-68, Constable; 1869-70-71, Massena; 1872-73-74, Chateaugay; 1875-76-77, Canton; 1878-79-80, Sandy Creek; 1881-82-83, Clayton; 1884-85-86, Black River; 1887-88, Heuvelton; 1889-90-91-92-93, Little Falls; 1894-95-96-97-98, Watertown, Arsenal Street; 1899-1900-01, Utica, South Street; 1902-03-04-05-06-07, Utica District; 1908-09, Clinton. Delegate to General Conference, 1904.

Hancock, William James. Licensed to preach at Longton, England (Wesleyan Methodist), July 15, 1877, Charles Willis, pastor; admitted on trial in Syracuse Conference of Wesleyan Church of U. S. A., April 18, 1883; elder, 1885; withdrew from Wesleyan Church in 1887; admitted into Northern New York Conference, April 7, 1888; full connection, April 12, 1890.

Appointments: (Wesleyan Church) 1883-84, Blodgetts Mills; 1885-86, Boylston; (Northern New York Conference) 1888-89, Williamstown; 1890-91-92, Orwell; 1893-94, Lee Center; 1895-96-97-98-99, Mannsville; 1900-01-02, Hailesboro and Natural Dam; 1903-04-05-06-07, Clayton; 1908-09, Theresa.

Supply: 1887, Williamstown.

Hand, Alonzo. Licensed to exhort at Williamstown, N. J., January 3, 1885, J. F. Heileuman, pastor; to preach, Aug. 14, 1885, John S. Gaskill, presiding elder, Camden District, (New Jersey Conference); admitted, April 14, 1890; deacon, April 13, 1890—Newman; full connection, April 15, 1892; elder, April 22, 1894—Goodsell.

Appointments: 1890-91-92-93-94, Beaver Falls and Castorland; 1895-96-97-98, Jordanville and South Columbia; 1899-1900, Port Leyden and Talcotville; 1901-02, Clinton; 1903-04, Lafargeville and Omar; 1905-06-07-08, Newport and Poland; 1909, Orwell and Richland.

Supply: 1889, Norway and Gray.

Education: high school, Williamstown, N. J.; Chicago Seminar of Sciences (Ph. D.).

Hart, William John. Licensed to preach in Truro, England, in 1886; deacon, 1892—Bowman; admitted, April 23, 1894; full connection, April 9, 1896; elder, April 17, 1898—Ninde.

Appointments: 1894-95-96-97, Starkville; 1898-99-1900-01, Cold Brook and Russia; 1902-03-04-05-06-07-08, Earlville; 1909, Utica, South Street.

Supply: 1892-93, Chester, N. J.

Education: Kansas Wesleyan (B. Litt.); Drew Theological Seminary (B. D.); Colgate (A. M.); American University, Tenn. (Ph. D., D. D.)

Harvey, Frederick Milton. Licensed to preach at the Dartmouth and Brixham circuit, England; admitted, April 20, 1901; full connection, April 25, 1903; deacon, October 6, 1895—Andrews; elder, April 21, 1901—Fowler.

Appointments: 1901-02-03, Constantia; 1904, April to September, Williamstown and Westdale; 1905-06, Fernwood; 1907-08-09, Student in Boston University.

Supply: 1893, Durhamville; 1894, Oneida Lake and South Bay; 1895-96, East Homer; 1898-99, Pennellville and Gilbert's Mills; 1900, Constantia.

Education: Cazenovia Seminary, Syracuse University (A. M.); Boston University School of Theology (S. T. B.).

Hastings, Clarence E. Licensed to preach, September, 1894, at Delmar, Delaware, W. F. Cockran, presiding elder; admitted into the Wilmington Conference, March, 1896; full connection, March 25, 1898; deacon, March, 27, 1898—Newman; elder, March 25, 1900—Andrews.

Appointments: 1896, Dover, Delaware; transferred to Northern New York Conference, April 11, 1904; 1904-05-06-07, Belmont; 1908-09, Copenhagen.

Supply: 1894-95, Westover, Maryland; 1898-99-1900-01, West Orange, N. J., (Student at Drew Theological Seminary).

Education: Salisbury (Maryland) High School; Drew Theological Seminary.

Haven, Clarence Vernon. Licensed to preach at Phoenix, N. Y., December 1, 1896, by Syracuse District Conference, T. R. Green, presiding elder; admitted, April 22, 1899; full connection, April 25, 1903; deacon, April 26, 1903—Cranston; elder, April 22, 1906—Goodsell.

Appointments: 1899, T. I. Park; 1900-01-02, West Martinsburg; 1903-04-05, Great Bend; 1906, Plessis; 1907-08, Cold Brook; 1909, Mannsville.

Supply: 1897-98, New Bremen.

Haven, Willis Adelbert. Licensed to exhort July 30, 1882, at Vermillion, N. Y., A. M. Fradenburg, pastor; to preach, February 25 ,1890, at Oswego, N. Y., H. M. Danforth, presiding elder; admitted, April 20, 1891; full connection, April 20, 1895; deacon, April 21, 1895—Mallalieu; elder, April 19, 1897—Warren.

Appointments: 1891, West Sandy Creek; 1892-93-94-95-96, Depauville; 1897-98-99-1900, Middleville; 1901-02-03, Waterville; 1904-05-06-07-08, St. Johnsville; 1909, Earlville.

Supply: 1890, Goodenough.

Education: Mexico Academy.

Helms, William Riley. Licensed to exhort early in 1859, at Norfolk, N. Y., Samuel Call, pastor; to preach in 1866, same charge, C. L. Dunning, presiding elder; deacon, April 12, 1868—Simpson; admitted, April 13, 1868; full connection, April 22, 1870; elder, June 20, 1872—Peck.

Appointments: 1868-69, Parishville; 1870-71-72, Colton (Ellsworth); 1873-74, Fort Jackson; 1875-76, Burke; 1877-78-79, Fort Covington and Bombay; 1880-81-82, Moira; 1883-84-85, Waverly (Dickinson); 1886-87-88, Rodman; 1889-90-91-92-93, Richfield Springs; 1894-95, Dolgeville; 1896-97, Massena; 1898-99-1900-01, Taberg; 1902-03-04-05, Knoxboro; 1906-07-08-09, Port Leyden.

Supply: 1866, Colton and Ellsworth; 1867, Parishville.

Served in Company F, 16th Regiment, N. Y. S. Infantry, from April 3, 1861, to April 15, 1863, as corporal, ensign, and in command of the company; also in the 14th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, from August 29, 1863, to the spring of 1865, as second lieutenant, first lieutenant and captain.

Education: common schools.

Hesselgrave, Henry. Licensed to exhort, August 17, 1857, on the Lisbon charge, A. E. Corse, pastor; to preach, same charge, in April, 1859, C. L. Dunning, presiding elder; admitted on trial in the Bay of Quinte Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church of Canada, in June, 1860; discontinued at the end of one year; readmitted on probation in the same Conference in 1864; ordained deacon, June 3, 1866—Richardson; elder, June 17, 1868—Smith; admitted to Black River Conference, as an elder in full connection, April 22, 1870.

Appointments: (Canada) 1864-65, Renfrew; 1866, Eganville; 1867-68, Lyndhurst; (United States) 1870, South Canton and Pierrepont; 1871-72-73, Spragues Corners and Somerville; 1874-75-76, Philadelphia; 1877-78, DePeyster; 1879, Lawrence; 1880-81-82, West Stockholm; 1883, Bangor, but changed immediately to Massena; 1883-84, Massena; 1885-86-87, Bucksbridge; 1888-89-90-91-92, Burke; 1893-94-95-96, Nicholville; 1897-98-99, Louisville;1900-01-02-03-04-05, Sprague ville and Somerville; 1906 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: Elgin charge in Canada as junior preacher seven months before joining Conference; in 1863, spent four months on North Grover Mission; 1869, South Canton and Pierrepont in the Black River Conference; 1907, six months, Clarence (Genesee Conference); 1908 Brownville.

Education: common schools and Ogdensburg Academy.

Higby, Jasper Warren. Licensed to exhort at Constableville, N. Y., August 10, 1885, H. L. Holmes, pastor; to preach by Adams District Conference, March 9, 1886, B. F. Wood, presiding elder; admitted, April 19, 1887; full connection, April 18, 1891; deacon, April 19, 1891—Hurst; elder, April 23, 1893—FitzGerald.

Appointments: 1887, Croghan; 1888-89-90, WestMartinsburg; 1891-92-93, Pillar Point; 1894-95-96, Steuben; 1897-98-99-1900, Plessis; 1901, Lorraine; 1902, Great Bend; 1903-04-05, Lee Center; 1906 to 1909, superannuated.

Education: Crofoot Hill High School.

Supply: 1886, Croghan.

Holbrook, William Marcellus. Licensed to exhort at Point Peninsula, N. Y., in June, 1862, George W. Calkins, pastor; to preach, August 18, 1866, at Three Mile Bay; J. F. Dayan, presiding elder; admitted, April 23, 1870; full connection, April 12, 1872; deacon, June 19, 1872—Peck; elder, May 3, 1874—Foster.

Appointments: 1870-71, Natural Bridge; 1872-73-74, Alexandria; 1875-76, Evans Mills; 1877-78-79, Black River; 1880-81-82, Copenhagen; 1883-84, Norwood; 1885-86-87, Martinsburg; 1888-89, New Haven; 1890-91-92, Sackets Harbor; 1893-94-95-96-97, Belleville; 1898-99, New York Mills; 1900-01-02-03, Madison; 1904, supernumerary; 1905 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1869, Natural Bridge; 1904, Kenyon and Richland (Minnesota Conference); 1905, Wesley Church, St. Paul; 1906-07, Asbury Church, St. Paul; 1909, Point Peninsula.

Education: Falley Seminary, Fulton, N. Y.

Holcombe, Charles Thomas. Licensed to exhort at Newtown, Pa., June 10, 1895,William B. Wood, pastor; to preach, at same place, July 9, 1897, Joseph R. Taylor Gray, presiding elder; admitted, April 18, 1906; full connection, April 16, 1908; deacon, April 19, 1908—Moore.

Appointments: 1906-07, Knoxboro; 1908-09, Great Bend.

Supply: 1902-03-04, Penns Park, Pa., Philadelphia Conference; 1905, Norway and Gray.

Holmes, Howard D. Licensed to preach at Brookfield, N. Y., February 8, 1893, by Herkimer District Conference, W. F. Markham, presiding elder; admitted, April 11, 1896; full connection, April 16, 1898; deacon, April 17, 1898—Ninde; elder, April 22, 1900—Walden.

Appointments: 1896-97-98-99, Oswego Center; 1900-01-02-03-04, Cleveland; 1905-06-07-08-09, New Hartford.

Supply: 1894-95, West Sandy Creek.

Education: high school, Brookfield, N. Y.; Folts Institute, Herkimer, N. Y.

Houghton, Oren Josiah. Licensed to exhort at Knoxboro, N. Y., in 1886, Arthur Pierce, pastor; admitted, April 23, 1894; full connection, April 9, 1896; deacon, April 12, 1896—Joyce; elder, April 22, 1900—Walden.

Appointments: 1894, assistant at Mexico; 1895-96-97, Redfield; 1898-99-1900, North Western; 1901-02-03, New London; 1904-05-06, Lassellsville; 1907, Watson; 1908-09, supernumerary.

Education: Central Normal College, Danville, Ind.; Syracuse University.

Hughes, Henry. Licensed to preach at Madison, N. J., February 21, 1902, Warren T. Hoagland, presiding elder; admitted, April 8, 1904; deacon, April 10, 1904—Merrill; full connection, April 20, 1906; elder, April 22, 1906—Goodsell.

Appointments: 1904-05, Starkville and Van Hornsville; 1906-07, Williamstown; 1908-09, Hannibal.

Education: Drew Theological Seminary.

Hughs, Hardin M. Licensed to exhort, December 19, 1879, at Green Brier, Ark., to preach, at same place, two days later, T. B. Ford, presiding elder; admitted to Arkansas Conference, February 13, 1882, full connection, February 22, 1884; deacon, February 24, 1884—Wiley; elder, April 22, 1895—Goodsell.

Appointments: 1882-83-84, in Arkansas Conference, 1885-86, in Southern Illinois Conference by transfer; 1887-88, North Dakota Conference by transfer; 1889, DesMoines Conference by transfer; (Northern New York Conference) 1892-93, Henderson; 1894, Pillar Point; 1895, Three Mile Bay; 1896-97, supernumerary; 1898 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1881, in Arkansas Conference; 1889-90, South Kansas Conference; 1891, in Northern New York Conference.

Hydon, William Merrill. Licensed to exhort, September 3, 1894, at Vernon, N. Y., H. W. Howard, pastor; to preach, February, 1895, at same place, H. E. Waugh, presiding elder; admitted, April 19, 1902; full connection, April 8, 1904; deacon, April 10, 1904—Merrill; elder, April 22, 1906—Goodsell.

Appointments: 1902-03, Lowell; 1904-05, Rome, Liberty Street; 1905-06-07-08-09, Sandy Creek.

Supply: 1901, October to April, Lowell.

Education: Syracuse University (A. B.), Drew Theological Seminary.

Ingersoll, Webster. Licensed to preach at Pulaski, N. Y., in 1870, A. E. Corse, pastor; deacon, May 3, 1874—Foster; admitted, May 5, 1874; full connection, April 20, 1877; elder, April 27, 1879—Harris.

Appointments: 1874, Sand Bank; 1875, Floyd; 1876, Lowell; transferred to Troy Conference; 1877-78, Ames; 1879-80, Kinderhook; 1881-82, White Creek; 1883, Kinderhook; 1884, missionary to Miles City, Montana; (West Wisconsin Conference) 1885, Osceola Mills; 1886, Pepin; (Montana Conference) 1887-88, Anaconda and Dillon; (Northern New York Conference) 1889, Lafargeville; 1890, Ellisburg; 1891-92, Cedar Lake; 1893, Croghan; 1894-95, Montague; 1896, Felts Mills; 1897 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1873, Constantia.

Education: Middlebury College (A. M.).

Died: May 24, 1909.

Jago, Henry William. Admitted, April 20, 1891; full connection, April 21, 1893; deacon, April 23, 1893—FitzGerald; elder, April 21, 1895—Mallalieu.

Appointments: 1891-92, Redfield; 1893-94-95-96-97, Orwell; 1898-99-1900-01, Stockholm; 1902-03-04-05-06-07, Rensselaer Falls; 1908-09, Madrid.

Education: Keswick College, England.

Johnson, Duane Cephas. Licensed to exhort November 17, 1888, at Herkimer; to preach, May 29, 1889, at same place; admitted, September, 1889, Susquehanna Conference of the Free Methodist Church; full connection, 1891, same Conference; deacon, September 21, 1891—Edward P. Hart; elder, September 23, 1893—Wilson T. Hogue.

Appointments: Free Methodist Church—1889, Herkimer; 1890-91, Atlanta; 1892, Ithaca; 1893-94-95, Saratoga Springs; 1896, district elder of Utica, Saratoga and Burlington Districts; 1897, resigned to return to the pastorate; 1897-98-99, Camden; delegate to General Conference at Chicago, Ill., 1898; appointed by General Conference a member of Central Board of Conference Examiners, 1898-1900; Northern New York Conference—1900, Brasher Falls; 1901-02-03-04, Chateaugay; 1905-06-07-08-09, Oswego, Trinity.

Education: Herkimer High School, Boston Correspondence School.

Author—"Higher Manhood, or Character through Inspiration."

Secretary of Susquehanna Conference fom 1891 to 1896.

Jones, Richad Eurog. Licensed to preach at Coke Memorial Church, Utica, N. Y., March, 1902, David F. Pierce, presiding elder; deacon, April 26, 1903—Cranston; admitted, April 9, 1904; full connection, April 20, 1906; elder, April 19, 1908—Moore.

Appointments: 1904-05, Coke Memorial, Utica; 1906-07-08-09, Lorraine.

Supply: Beaumaris Circuit, Wales, one year; Llanelly Circuit, two years; Aberystwyth, one year; 1901-02-03, Coke Memorial, Utica.

Joy, Eugene Howard: Licensed to exhort at Ilion, N. Y., February 18, 1880, G. M. Mead, pastor; to preach, by Cazenovia District Conference, September 15, 1880, Benjamin Shove, presiding elder; admitted, April 14, 1885; full connection, April 16, 1887; deacon, April 17, 1887—Foss; elder, April 13, 1890.—Newman.

Appointments: 1885-86-87, Clayville; 1888-89-90-91, Chaumont; 1892-93-94-95-96, Adams; 1897-98, Camden; 1899-1900, Ogdensburg; 1901-02-03-04, Watertown, State Street; 1905-06-07-08-09, Oswego, First Church.

Supply: 1882, August 1, to October 15, West Eaton; 1883, January to September, Pompey Hill.

Education: Cazenovia Seminary, Syracuse University.

Kanoff, William Henry. Licensed to exhort, August 12, 1871, at Ogdensburg, N. Y., E. C. Bruce, pastor; to preach, same place, October 12, 1872, Sanger Dewey, presiding elder; admitted, April 11, 1876; deacon, (ordained at Central New York Conference) October 8, 1876—Harris; full connection, April 13, 1878; elder, April 18, 1880—Peck.

Appointments: 1876, Macomb; 1877, Dickinson; 1878-79, Waddington; 1880-81-82, Norfolk; 1883-84-85, Moira; 1886-87-88-89, Rensselaer Falls; 1890, Morristown; 1891-92-93, Hermon; 1894-95-96-97-98, Antwerp; 1899, Black River; 1900, Rodman; 1901-02-03, Brownville; 1904-05-06-07, Copenhagen; 1908, supernumerary; 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1874, Brasher Iron Works; 1875, Macomb.

Education: common schools, and Gouverneur Wesleyan Seminary.

Kelley, Orson Monroe. Licensed to exhort at Salisbury, N. Y. April 4, 1874, Charles H. Harris, pastor; to preach, by Herkimer District Conference, February 24, 1880, T. B. Shepherd, presiding elder; deacon, April 12, 1885—Warren; admitted, April 20, 1886; full connection, April 13, 1889; elder, April 17, 1892—Bowman.

Appointments: 1886, Lassellsville; 1887-88-89-90, Cedar Lake; 1891-92, Rodman; 1893-94-95-96-97, Constable; 1898-99, St. Regis Falls; 1900, Oswego Center; 1901-02-03-04, West Sandy Creek; 1905-06-07, North Bay; 1908-09, Watson.

Supply: 1884-85, Lassellsville.

Kelly, William Edwin. Licensed to exhort, September, 1891, at Claverack, N. Y., by S. A. Dean; to preach, February, 1897, at DeKalb Junction, S. O. Barnes, presiding elder; admitted, April 22, 1899; full connection, April 19, 1901; deacon, April 21, 1901—Fowler; elder, April 10, 1904—Merrill.

Appointments: 1899, Russell; 1900, Starkville; 1901-02-03, Forestport; 1904, Newport; 1905-06, (until December) Deansboro; 1907-08, supernumerary; 1909, Richville.

Supply: 1898, Russell; 1908, Richville.

Education: Potsdam Normal; Claverack College and Hudson River Institute, Claverack, N. Y.

Kinney, Melvin Dewain. Licensed to preach, April 9, 1858, at Middletown, Conn., Daniel Curry, pastor; admitted, April 30, 1861; full connection, April 16, 1863; deacon, April 19, 1863—Janes; elder April 23, 1865—Kingsley.

Appointments: 1861, Somerville and Spragues Corners; 1862-63, Geddes; 1864-65-66, Mexico; 1867-68-69, Rome, First; in 1868 fell into Central New York Conference by change of boundaries, but was transferred

back in 1870; 1870-71-72, Watertown, State Street; 1873-74-75-76, Adams District; 1877-78-79, Lowville; 1880-81-82, Oswego, East (Trinity); 1883, supernumerary; 1884-85-86, Thousand Island Park; 1887-88-89-90-91, supernumerary; 1892, Evans Mills; 1893 to 1900, supernumerary; 1901 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1883, T. I. Park; 1887, and for ten winters following, by invitation of Dr. Henry Foster of Clifton Springs, supplied Lake Charm Memorial Church; 1891, Evans Mills.

Education: Falley Seminary, Wesleyan University (A. M.).

Knapp, Florello L. Licensed to exhort at Norwood, N. Y., October, 1886, W. D. Marsh, pastor; to preach, by St. Lawrence District Conference, February, 1887, A. Bramley, presiding elder; admitted, April 20, 1891; full connection, April 21, 1893; deacon, April 23, 1893—FitzGerald; elder, April 21, 1895—Mallalieu.

Appointments: 1891-92-93-94-95, Waddington; 1896-97-98, East Hamilton; 1899-1900, St. Johnsville; 1901-02, Sandy Creek; 1903-04-05, Carthage; 1906-07-08-09, Camden.

Supply: 1887, South Canton, 1888-89-90, Chasm Falls.

Education: Canton, N. Y.

Lavis, Edward John. Licensed to preach in England, June 14, 1886, by the Somerton Circuit Bible Christian Denomination; relicensed, September 2, 1889, by L. C. Queal, presiding elder of Auburn District; admitted into the Central New York Conference, 1894; deacon, 1894—Goodsell; full connection, 1896; elder, 1899—Merrill.

Appointments: 1894-95-96, Chapinville; 1897-98-99-1900-01, Truxton; 1902, located at own request; 1904, readmitted in Northern New York Conference; 1904-05, Natural Bridge; 1906-07-08-09, T. I. Park.

Supply: 1889-90, Venice; 1892, Sodus Point; 1893, Chapinville.

Education: schools of England.

Lewis, Fred Hamilton. Licensed to exhort, April 10, 1897, at Evans Mills, Bryam G. Sanford, pastor; to preach, June 1, 1897, at Carthage, S. O. Barnes, presiding elder; admitted, April 22, 1899; full connection, April 19, 1901; deacon, April 21, 1901—Fowler; elder, April 27, 1903—Cranston.

Appointments: 1899-1900, Oxbow; 1901-02, South Hannibal; 1903-04-05-06-07, Ohio; 1908-09, Depauville.

Supply: 1898, Oxbow.

Education: Potsdam Normal, Syracuse University.

Lobb, Joseph. Licensed to preach at Hibernia, N. J., (Newark Conference), March 4, 1888, C. R. Barnes, pastor; deacon, April 3, 1892—Bowman; admitted, April 21, 1893; full connection, April 20, 1895; elder, April 18, 1897—Warren.

Appointments: 1893-94, St. Lawrence; 1895-96-97, West Stockholm; 1898-99-1900-01-02, Burke; 1903, Colton; 1904-05-06, Brasher; 1907-08, Waddington; 1909, Vermillion.

Education: National School, England; Drew Theological Seminary.

Locke, Albert Wellington. Admitted, April, 1898, Rochester Conference, Wesleyan Methodist Church; elder, April 21, 1901—Arthur T. Jennings, president; received on credentials in full connection into the Northern New York Conference, April 20, 1907.

Appointments. 1898, Millview, Pa.; 1899-1900, student; 1901-02-03, Boylston; 1904-05-06, Morley; 1907-08-09, Oswego Center.

Supply: 1897, Millview, Pa.

Education: Ottawa, Canada; and Houghton Seminary, Houghton, New York.

Died, December 23, 1909.

Loucks, Albert Charles. Licensed to exhort at Lowville, N. Y., in 1876, S. O. Barnes, pastor; to preach, by the Syracuse District Confer-

ence, November 27, 1877, D. W. Bristol, D. D., presiding elder; admitted April 17, 1880; discontinued, April, 1881, to attend Theological Seminary; deacon, (New Hampshire Conference), April 23, 1882—Warren, readmitted, April 17, 1883; full connection, April 11, 1885; elder, April 12, 1885—Warren.

Appointments: 1880, Little Lakes; 1883, Clayville; 1884-85-86, West Winfield; 1887-88-89, Turin; 1890-91-92, Potsdam; 1893, supernumerary; 1894-95, Richfield Springs; 1896-97-98-99-1900, Ilion; 1901-02-03, Ogdensburg; 1904-05-06-07-08-09, Oswego District.

Supply: 1882, Graniteville, Mass., during summer.

Education: Cazenovia Seminary, Syracuse University (A. M., Ph. D.), Boston School of Theology.

Elected delegate to General Conference, 1908.

Markham, Herbert Wesley. Licensed to preach by Herkimer District Conference, December 6, 1893, W. F. Markham, presiding elder; admitted, April 23, 1894; full connection, April 9, 1896; deacon, April 12, 1896—Joyce; elder, April 17, 1898—Ninde.

Appointments: 1894-95-96, Fairfield; 1897-98-99-1900-01, Beaver Falls; 1902-03, Remsen and Ninety Six; 1904-05-06-07-08-09, Canton.

Education: Lowville Academy, Syracuse University, Folts Mission Institute.

Markham, Wilbur Francis. Licensed to exhort, August 23, 1861, Lee Center, N. Y., Robert Flint, pastor; to preach, April 19, 1862, same charge, James Erwin, presiding elder; admitted, April 28, 1862; full connection, April 15, 1864; deacon, April 17, 1864—Baker; elder, April 22, 1866—Ames.

Appointments: 1862, Brocketts and Stratford; 1863-64-65, Forestport; 1866-67-68, Salisbury Center; 1869*-70, Hannibal; 1871-72-73, Utica, South Street; 1874-75-76, Herkimer; 1877-78-79, Oswego, First; 1880-81-82, Lowville; 1883-84-85, Fulton; 1886-87-88-89-90-91, Utica District; 1892-93-94-95-96-97, Herkimer District; 1898-99-1900, Lowville; 1901-02-03, Frankfort; 1904, supernumerary; 1905 to 1909, superannuated. Delegate to the Christian Commission, June 10, 1864. Delegate to the General Conference, 1888. Member General Missionary Committee, 1888-91.

Education: Whitestown Seminary, graduate in Chautauqua's first class.

Marsh, William Dixon. Licensed to exhort at Potsdam, N. Y., July 19, 1875, A. Bramley, pastor; to preach, Syracuse, N. Y., 1877, Cazenovia District Conference; deacon, April 23, 1882—Warren, at Lawrence, Mass., New Hampshire Conference; admitted, Northern New York Conference, April 17, 1883; full connection, April 11, 1885; elder, April 17, 1887—Foss.

Appointments: 1883-84, Parishville; 1885-86-87, Norwood; 1888-89-90-91-92, Malone; 1893-94-95-96-97, Watertown, State Street; 1898-99-1900-01-02-03, Utica, First; 1904-05-06-07-08-09, Little Falls.

Supply: Wampsville, N. Y., two months; in Erieville, N. Y., one year and three months from November 4, 1877; Parishville, N. Y., seven months from May 16, 1880; Graniteville, Mass., Conference year 1882.

Delegate to General Conference, 1896, 1900.

Reserve delegate in 1908; took seat of A. C. Loucks.

Education: St. Lawrence Academy, Potsdam Normal, Syracuse University (A. M., D. D.), Boston School of Theology (B. D.).

Matthews, James. Licensed to preach at St. Just, England, Cornwall District, in 1887; deacon, April 21, 1895—Mallalieu; admitted, April 11,1896; full connection, April 16, 1898: elder, April 22, 1900—Walden.

Appointments: 1896-97-98-99, West Martinsburg; 1900-01-02, Mannsville; 1903-04-05-06, Cherry Valley; 1907-08, Madison; 1909, Boonville.

Supply: 1892-93-94, Three Mile Bay; 1895, West Martinsburg.

Maunder, Frederick. Licensed to exhort, December, 1889, at Clyde, N. Y., Arthur Copeland, pastor; to preach, September 1, 1891, at Wolcott, N. Y., L. C. Queal, presiding elder; deacon, April 12, 1896—Joyce; admitted, April 18, 1898; full connection, April 20, 1900; elder, April 20, 1902—Andrews.

Appointments: 1898-99-1900-01, New Haven; 1902-03-04-05, Hannibal; 1906-07-08-09, Pulaski.

Supply: 1891-92, Lock Berlin; 1895-96-97, Parish.

Education: Clyde High School, Syracuse University (A. B.).

MacClenthen, Thomas Hopkins. Licensed to exhort at West Eaton, N. Y., early in 1853, George Bridge, pastor; to preach, same charge, at last Quarterly Conference of the Conference year 1860, Wm. Bixby, presiding elder; deacon, (Oneida Conference), April 22, 1866—Baker; admitted, April 25, 1866; full connection (Central N. Y. Conference) April 17, 1869; elder, April 23, 1871—Ames.

Appointments: 1866, Knoxboro; 1867-68-69*, Cedar Lake; 1870-71-72, Forestport; 1873†-74-75, Westmoreland; 1876, Fairfield and Middleville; 1877-78, Taberg; 1879, Delta and Westernville; 1880, Black River; 1881-82-83, Newport and Poland; 1884-85-86, Vernon Center; 1887-88-89-90, Vernon; 1891, Lee Center; 1892-93, Clayville ; 1894-95-96-97, Sprague-ville; 1898, supernumerary; 1899 to 1909, superannuated.

Served in 76th Regiment, N. Y. V.; from October 4, 1861, till October 10, 1864, as private, commissary sergeant, sergeant major. Supplied Canasaraga one year before joining the Conference.

MacClenthen, William Henry. Licensed to exhort at Herkimer, N. Y., December 5, 1894, W. C. Davidson, pastor; to preach, by Herkimer District Conference, February 26, 1896, W. F. Markham, presiding elder; admitted, April 11, 1896; full connection, April 16, 1898; deacon, April 17, 1898—Ninde; elder, April 22, 1900—Walden.

Appointments: 1896-97, Prospect; 1898, Starkville; 1899-1900-01, Cherry Valley; 1902-03, Adams District; 1904-05-06-07-08-09, Herkimer District.

Education: Fairfield Seminary, Cazenovia Seminary.

Merritt, George. Licensed to preach at Evanston, Illinois, May 20, 1877, W. D. Dandy, pastor; deacon, October 9, 1881—Wiley; admitted, (Minnesota Conference), October 12, 1882; full connection, October 10, 1884; elder, October 10, 1886—Bowman.

Appointments: 1882, Jackson; 1883, Hector; 1884, Ortonville; 1885, Ada; 1886, Little Falls; transferred to Northern New York Conference; 1888, Oswego Center; 1889-90, Trenton; 1891-92-93, Taberg; 1894-95, Oriskany Falls; 1896, Vermillion; 1897-98, Henderson; 1899-1900, Martinsburg; 1901-02, Turin; 1903, Hailesboro and Natural Dam; 1904-05-06-07, Depauville; 1908-09, Ohio.

Supply: (Rock River Conference) six months in 1881, Maple Park, Ill.; six months in 1882, Oak Glenn, Ill.; (Minnesota Conference) three months in 1882, Worthington.

Education: Northwestern University (A. M.), Garrett Biblical Institute (S. T. B.).

Middleton, Charles James. Licensed to exhort at Lorraine, N. Y., February 21, 1890, George Ernst, pastor; to preach, by Adams District Conference, February 25, 1890, B. F. Wood, presiding elder; admitted, April 20, 1891; full connection, April 21, 1893; deacon, April 23, 1893—FitzGerald; elder, April 12, 1896—Joyce.

Appointments: 1891-92, Montague; 1893-94-95-96-97, Ellisburg; 1898-99-1900-01, Hermon; 1902-03-04-05-06-07, Bangor, 1908-09, Rensselaer Falls.

Supply: 1890, Croghan.

Education: Adams Collegiate Institute, Cazenovia Seminary.

Miller, Benjamin George. Licensed to exhort at Syracuse, N. Y., 1884; to preach, by Annual Conference of Evangelical Association, March 3, 1885, at Utica; admitted into New York Conference of Evangelical Association, March 13, 1885; deacon, March 8, 1888—Bowman; elder, and full connection, March 20, 1890—Escher

Appointments: 1886-87-88, Stone Arabia, N. Y.; 1889-90, New London; 1891-92, Niagara Falls; 1893, Wilmot; located in 1894 to attend schools named below; admitted to Northern New York Conference, April 10, 1896; 1896-97-98, Oriskany Falls; 1899-1900-01-02, Utica, Grace; 1903-04-05-06-07, Alexandria Bay; 1908-09, supernumerary.

Education: Colgate Academy, Northwestern College, Hamilton College. Two years private instruction in Theology and Homiletics under Rev. J. J. Kaechele, D. D., former President of Reullinger Seminar, Reullinger, Germany. University Extension course, Chicago Seminar of Sciences.

Miller, Charles A. Licensed to exhort at Gouverneur, N. Y., February 11, 1888, M. W. Chase, pastor; to preach, by Watertown District Conference, March 4, 1890, S. Call, presiding elder; admitted, April 20, 1891; full connection, April 21, 1893; deacon, April 23, 1893—FitzGerald; elder, April 21, 1895—Mallalieu.

Appointments: 1891-92, Ellisburg; 1893, Macomb; 1894-95-96-97, Oxbow; 1898-99-1900, Hammond: 1901, Ava and West Leyden; 1902-03-04, Deansboro; 1905-06, Brookfield and North Brookfield; 1907-08, Mannsville; 1909, Westmoreland and Clark's Mills.

Supply: 1890, Pillar Point.

Education: Gouverneur Seminary.

Miller, Charles Eugene: Licensed to preach by the Oswego District Conference, February 26, 1884, George M. Mead, presiding elder; admitted, April 14, 1885; full connection, April 16, 1887; deacon, April 17, 1887—Foss; elder, April 14, 1889—Ninde.

Appointments: 1885, Volney; 1886-87-88, South Richland; 1889-90, Rodman; 1891-92-93-94-95, Rome, Liberty Street; 1896-97, Frankfort; 1898-99-1900-01-02-03, Herkimer District; 1904-05-06-07, Utica, First; 1908-09, Watertown, Arsenal Street.

Supply: 1884,Volney.

Education: Oswego public schools.

Miller, Frederick Augustus. Licensed to preach, September, 1894, at Homer, N. Y., by Cazenovia District Conference (Central New York Conference); admitted, April 18, 1898; full connection, April 20, 1900; deacon, April 22, 1900—Walden; elder, April 20, 1902—Andrews.

Appointments: 1898, North Bay; 1899-1900-01, Central Square; 1902-03-04, New Haven; 1905-06, Oriskany Falls; 1907-08-09, Fulton, State St.

Supply: September, 1897, until Conference, 1898, West Camden.

Education: Cazenovia Seminary, Williams College, Syracuse University (A. B.).

Moore, William Herbert. Licensed to exhort in 1885, in Canada; to preach, 1888, Kingsley, Mich., George W. Sherman, presiding elder, Grand Traverse District Conference; admitted, 1889, into Michigan Conference; full connection, 1891; deacon, 1891—Newman; elder, 1893—Bowman.

Appointments. (Michigan Conference), 1889-90, Benzonia; 1891, Harbor Springs; 1892-93-94, Bellaire, 1895, Stevensville; 1896-97, Decatur; 1898-99, Bangor; 1900-01-02, Edwardsburg; 1903-04, Vandalia; 1905-06-07, Tekonsha; transferred to the Northern New York Conference, 1908-09, Bangor.

Supply: 1888, Kingsley, Mich.

Education: public schools of Canada; Christian College, Iowa (Ph. D.)

Nelson, George Herbert. Licensed to exhort, May 1893, Ellicottville, N. Y., J. B. White, pastor; to preach, September, 1893, at Olean, N. Y.; Olean District Conference, E. H. Latimer, presiding elder; deacon, October, 1897—Walden; admitted, April 9, 1904; elder, April 10, 1904—Merrill; full connection, April 20, 1906.

Appointments: 1904-05-06-07-08-09, Watertown, Bethany.

Supply: (Genesee Conference), 1893, Black Creek and Abbots; 1894, Hemlock Lake; 1897 (three months), Bradford, Pa., Asbury; (Northern New York Conference), 1898-99-1900-01-02, Pennellville Circuit; (Central New York Conference), 1902-03 (Six months) Camilius; (Northern New York Conference), 1903, Watertown, Bethany.

Education: Chamberlain Institute, Randolph, N. Y.; Genesee Wesleyan Seminary; Syracuse University (Ph. B.).

Nourse, Irving Johnson. Licensed to preach, July 1, 1871, at Sugar Creek circuit, Pennsylvania Conference, Wesleyan Methodist Church, Cyrus G. Palmer, pastor; admitted to Central Ohio Conference of same church, October 1, 1871; ordained elder, August 23, 1873, William Sewall, president; admitted to the Ohio Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church with the recognition of orders, about October 3, 1875, and transferred to the Northern New York Conference, April 11, 1884.

Appointments: (Wesleyan Methodist Church, Central Ohio Conference) 1871-72-73-74, East Orange and Bennington; (Methodist Episcopal Church, Ohio Conference) 1875-76-77, Barlow; 1878, Athens circuit; 1879-80-81, Syracuse, Ohio; 1882-83, Grove City; (Northern New York Conference) 1884-85-86, Scriba and Lansing; 1887, Hamilton; 1888-89-90, Sauquoit; 1891 to 1894, supernumerary; 1895-96, Verona; 1897-98, Brookfield; 1899-1900-01, Remsen; 1902-03-04, Beaver Falls; 1905-06, Floyd and Stittville; 1907 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: October, 1894 to April 1895, Verona.

Education: public schools, N. Y.; Carleton College, Ohio.

Orvis, Greeley H. Licensed to exhort, March, 1895, Moira, N. Y., J. C. Darling, presiding elder; to preach, March, 1895, at Potsdam, by St. Lawrence District Conference; admitted, April 20, 1901; deacon, April 26, 1903—Cranston; full connection, April 8, 1904; elder April 22, 1906—Goodsell.

Appointments: 1901-02, Fine; 1903-04-05-06, Evans Mills; 1907, Cleveland; 1908-09, supernumerary.

Supply: 1895, South Bombay; 1896-97, Montague; 1898-99, Natural Bridge; 1900, Fine.

Page, Alfred Ernest. Licensed to exhort, November 12, 1889, at Potsdam, N. Y., A. D. Webster, pastor; to preach by St. Lawrence District Conference, February, 1890, H. W. Bennett, presiding elder; admitted, April 20, 1891; full connection, April 21, 1893; deacon, April 23, 1893—FitzGerald; elder, April 21, 1895—Mallalieu.

Appointments: 1891-92-93, Colton; 1894-95-96, Norfolk; 1897-98, Lawrence; 1899-1900, West Winfield; 1901-02 supernumerary; 1903-04-05-06, Cold Brook and Russia; 1907 to 1909, supernumerary.

Supply: 1902, Clayville.

Palmer, Albert Pearne. Licensed to exhort, at Cortland, N. Y., September 2, 1867, E. C. Curtis, pastor; to preach, at same place, September 2, 1867, Ephraim Hoag, presiding elder; admitted, March, 1871, to New England Southern Conference; deacon, March 24, 1872—Ames; full connection, March 1873; elder, March 29, 1874—Peck.

Appointments: (New England Southern Conference) 1871, Norwich, East Main Street; 1872-73-74, Taunton, Central; 1875-76-77, Wellfleet; 1878-79, Woonsocket; 1880, Providence, Chestnut Street; 1881-82, Stafford Springs; 1883-84-85, Brockton, Central; 1886 Bristol; 1887-88-89, New Bedford, Fourth Street; 1890-91, Willimantic; transferred to Northern New York Conference; 1892-93, Watertown, Arsenal Street; 1894-

95-96-97-98, Utica, South Street; 1899-1900, Camden; 1901-02, Herkimer; 1903-04-05-06-07, Lowville; 1908-09, Waterville.

Education: Wesleyan University (A. M.).

Peck, Charles Luther. Licensed to exhort, at Cortland, N. Y., August 23, 1892, Charles E. Hamilton, pastor; to preach by Cazenovia District Conference, December 6, 1892, M. P. Blakeslee, presiding elder; admitted, April 23, 1894; full connection, April 9, 1896; deacon, April 12, 1896—Joyce; elder, April 17, 1898—Ninde.

Appointments: 1895-96-97, New Haven; 1898-99-1900, Sandy Creek; 1901-02-03-04, Gouverneur; 1905-06-07-08-09, Watertown, State Street, (name changed 1908 to Asbury).

Supply: 1893-94, South Hannibal.

Education: Cortland Normal, Syracuse University (A. B.).

Pennock, Arthur Francis. Licensed to exhort at Champion, N. Y., June, 1884, L. L. Davy, pastor; to preach, by Adams District Conference, in 1884, T. B. Shepherd, presiding elder; deacon, April 14, 1889—Ninde; admitted, April 11, 1896; full connection, April 16, 1898; elder, April 22, 1900—Walden.

Appointments: 1896, Norway; 1897-98-99, Cleveland; 1900-01-02, Thousand Island Park; 1903-04-05, Utica, Grace; 1906-07-08, East Hamilton; 1909, Madison.

Supply: 1889, West Frankfort; 1894-95, Utica, Dryer Memorial.

Education: Cazenovia Seminary, Oberlin College (A. B., S. P. D).

Visited Europe, Egypt and the Holy Land, in 1901.

Phelps, Dallas Lacy. Licensed to exhort on the Depauville charge, March 6, 1876, Anson Cheeseman, pastor; to preach, at Evanston, Ill., December 30, 1876, A. J. Jutkins, presiding elder; admitted, April 16, 1879; full connection, April 16, 1881; deacon, April 17, 1881—Foster; elder, April 15, 1883—Wiley.

Appointments: 1879-80-81, North Bay; 1882-83, Granby Center; 1884-85-86, Morristown; 1887-88, Nicholville; 1889-90, Waddington; 1891-92-93, Hammond; 1894-95-96, Lafargeville; 1897, Norfolk; 1898, Ellisburg; 1899-1900-01-02-03-04, St. Lawrence; 1905 to 1909, superannuated.

Served as a private in Company I, 14th Regiment, N. Y. Heavy Artillery, from December 3, 1863, to September 6, 1865. Supplied part of Hannibal charge during Conference year 1878.

Education: Ives Seminary, Garrett Biblical Institute.

Pierce, David Franklin. Licensed to preach, at Bangor, N. Y., in the fall of 1873, Rev. Samuel Call, presiding elder; admitted, April 11, 1876; full connection, April 13, 1878; deacon, April 14, 1878—Gilbert Haven; elder, April 18, 1880—Peck.

Appointments: 1876, Dickinson; 1877-78-79, West Stockholm; 1880, Nicholville; 1881-82-83, Chateaugay; 1884-85-86, Clayton; 1887-88-89-90, Ilion; 1891, Herkimer District; 1892-93-94-95-96, Rome, First; 1897, assistant at Ilion; 1898-99-1900-01, Utica District; 1902-03-04-05-06-07, Watertown, Arsenal Street; 1908-09, Utica District. Delegate to General Conference, 1892, 1896, 1900, 1904.

Supply: 1874-75, Dickinson.

Served as a private in Company I, 14th Regiment, N. Y. Heavy Artillery, from December 15, 1863, to August 28, 1865.

Syracuse University, and Clark University, (D. D.).

Pierce, Francis Kingsley. Licensed to exhort, at Frankfort, N. Y., July 23, 1871, B. F. Barker, pastor; to preach, same place, March 26, 1872, A. B. Gregg, presiding elder; deacon, April 9, 1876—Andrews; admitted, April 11, 1876; full connection, April 13, 1878; elder, April 18, 1880—Peck.

Appointments: 1876-77-78, Salisbury Center; 1879-80-81, St. Johnsville; 1882-83-84, Cedar Lake; 1885-86-87, Cold Brook and Russia; 1888-

89-90-91-92, Jordanville; 1893-94-95-96-97, Cold Brook and Russia; 1898 to 1902, supernumerary; 1903 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1873-74-75, Schuyler and West Frankfort. Preached every Sabbath at Osborn Hill, Schuyler Bush, and the Sterling Church fifteen months prior to 1873.

Died, May 28, 1909.

Poppe, John Diedrich. Licensed to exhort, September 3, 1899, Newark, N. J., William H. Morgan, pastor; to preach, October 19, 1903, by Central Methodist Church, Newark, N. J., Warren T. Hoagland, presiding elder; admitted, April 21, 1906; deacon, April 22, 1906—Goodsell; full connection, April 16, 1908; elder, April 19, 1908—Moore.

Appointments: 1906-07, Galilee; 1908-09, Hammond.

Supply: (Newark Conference) 1904 (one month) New Vernon; 1904, Palisades; 1905 Hewitt and Ringwood.

Education: Centenary Collegiate Institute, Drew Theological Seminary.

Pullen, William Higbee. Licensed to exhort, April 30, 1900, Salem, N. J., Alfred Wagg, pastor; to preach, 1902, Carthage, N. Y., Watertown District Conference, A. C. Danforth, presiding elder; admitted, April 15, 1905; full connection, April 20, 1907; deacon, April 21, 1907—Wilson; elder, April 18, 1909—McDowell.

Appointments: 1905-06-07, Mount Pleasant; 1908-09, Beaver Falls.

Supply: 1904, Mount Pleasant.

Education: Peddie Institute, Highstown, N. J.; Stewart Business College, Trenton, N. J.; Christian University, Canton, Mo.

Purington, William Frazier. Licensed to preach, June 26, 1869, A. E. Corse, presiding elder; admitted, (Central New York Conference), April 19, 1870; full connection, April 5, 1872; deacon, April 7, 1872—Simpson; elder (Northern New York Conference), May 3, 1874—Foster.

Appointments: 1870, Granby and South Hannibal; 1871-72, Hannibal Center; 1873†-74, Oswego Center; 1875-76-77, Scriba; 1878, Jordanville; 1879-80-81, East Hamilton; 1882, Norwood; 1883, Copenhagen; 1884, supernumerary; 1885, superannuated; 1886, supernumerary; 1887-88-89-90, Belleville; 1891-92, Vernon; 1893-94-95-96-97, New Hartford; 1898, Frankfort; 1899-1900-01-02-03, Moira; 1904-05-06, Madison; 1907 to 1909, supernumerary.

Supply: 1869, Parish; 1886 (six months), Manlius; 1886-87, (six months) Oran, (the last two in Central New York Conference).

Served as a Corporal in Company B, 7th Regiment, N. Y. Cavalry, from October 2, 1861, to March 31, 1862.

Education: Mexico Academy, Cazenovia Seminary.

Rathbun, Jesse F. Licensed to exhort at Mexico, N. Y., fall of 1881, C. P. Lyford, pastor; to preach, by Adams District Conference, March, 1884, T. B. Shepherd, presiding elder; admitted, April 20, 1886; full connection, April 6, 1888; deacon, April 8, 1888—Foster; elder, April 13, 1890—Newman.

Appointments: 1886-87-88, Volney; 1889-90-91-92, Vermillion; 1893-94-95-96-97, Minetto; 1898-99, Rodman; 1900-01, Earlville; 1902, appointed to Cold Brook and Russia, but resigned the charge on account of ill health; 1903, supernumerary; 1904, Vernon; 1905-06-07, Sackets Harbor; 1908, South Hannibal; 1909, supernumerary.

Supply: 1883-84-85, Montague; 1909, Brownville and Dexter.

Education: at Mexico, N. Y.

Reynolds, Willis Elisha. Licensed to exhort, March 2, 1875, at Potsdam Junction, N. Y. W. D. Chase, pastor; to preach, March 4, 1875, by the Potsdam District Conference, Samuel Call, presiding elder; admitted, May 5, 1875; full connection, April 20, 1877; deacon, April 22, 1877—Bowman; elder, April 13, 1879—Harris.

Appointments: 1875-76, Parishville; 1877-78-79, Bangor; 1880, Three

Mile Bay and Chaumont; 1881, Parish; 1882-83, Rome, Liberty Street; 1884, Utica, South Street; 1885-86-87, Canton; 1888-89, Boonville; 1890, Fort Covington; 1891-92, Belleville; 1893-94-95-96-97, Sackets Harbor; 1898-99, Hamilton; 1900-01-02-03, Westmoreland; 1904-05, West Frankfort; 1906-07, Leonardsville; 1908, Sprague ville; 1909, supernumerary.

Education: St. Lawrence Academy, Fort Edward Institute, Falley Seminary.

Robinson, Samuel D. Licensed to preach at Toronto, Canada, November 11, 1886; admitted (Dakota Conference), October 14, 1888; full connection, October 11, 1890; deacon, October 12, 1890—FitzGerald; transferred to Northern New York Conference, 1894; elder, April 21, 1895—Mallalieu.

Appointments: (Dakota Conference), 1888-89, Big Stone City, 1890, Clark; 1891-92, student; (Northern New York Conference) 1894-95, Vermillion; 1896-97, Whitesboro; 1898-99-1900-01, Massena; 1902-03-04-05, Fulton, State Street; 1906-07-08-09, Herkimer.

Supply: 1888 (five months), Big Stone City; September, 1893, to April, 1894, Vermillion.

Robson, David Egbert. Licensed to exhort, February, 1902, Lancaster, Ontario, Barry Pierce, pastor; to preach, May, 1902, same place and pastor; admitted, April 21, 1906; full connection, April 16, 1908, deacon, April 19, 1908—Moore.

Appointments: 1906, Lawrence; 1907-08-09, Depeyster.

Supply: 1902, Mountain Circuit, Ontario; 1903-04, Bucksbridge; 1905, Lawrence.

Education: public schools, Canada; and Ontario Business College.

Roe, Austin Marinus. Licensed to exhort on Rose Circuit, October 30, 1843, Rowland Soule, pastor; to preach, same place, August 25, 1849, B. Holmes, presiding elder; admitted, July 3, 1850; full connection, June 24, 1852; deacon, June 27, 1852—Morris; elder, June 6, 1858—Ames.

Appointments: 1850, Palermo; 1851, Martville; 1852, Hannibal; 1853, Lysander; 1854, supernumerary, Rose; 1855-56, Butler; 1857-58, Delta; 1859-60, Boonville; 1861-62, Marcy and Schuyler; 1863-64, Middleville; 1865, supernumerary; 1866-67, Conquest (Cato Center); 1868-69,* Granby and South Hannibal; 1870, Volney; 1871, North Bay; 1872, Durhamville; 1873, supernumerary; 1874, superannuated; 1875-76, supernumerary; 1877, Constantia; 1878-79, superannuated; 1880 Volney; 1881 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1879, Volney; 1873-74-75, canvassed Oneida, Herkimer and Otsego Counties for the American Bible Society.

Education: Red Creek Academy.

Sanford, Byram Green. Licensed to preach by the Geneva District Conference (Genesee Conference), September 5, 1876, F. G. Hibbard, presiding elder; admitted (Genesee Conference), in October, 1879; full connection (Central New York Conference, by change of boundaries), October 8, 1881; deacon, October 9, 1881—Warren; Northern New York Conference by transfer, April 9, 1885; elder, April 12, 1885—Warren.

Appointments: (Genesee Conference), 1879, Sodus Point; 1880, Mottville and Skaneateles Falls; 1881 to 1884, supernumerary; 1885-86, Lisbon; 1887, Louisville; 1888-89, Bucksbridge; 1890-91, Richville; 1892-93-94, Volney; 1895-96-97-98, Evans Mills; 1899, supernumerary; 1900-01-02, Watertown, Bethany; 1903, Point Peninsula; 1904 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1878, Sodus Point, N. Y.; 1882 (six months, commencing in November) Marion, Mass.; 1883 (nine months, commencing in July) Bangor, N. Y.; 1884, Fort Jackson; 1908, Laquin, Pa.; 1909, New Albany, Pa.

Education: Wesleyan University (A. M.), Boston University (B. D.).

Sarver, Sidney J. Licensed to preach, August 10, 1889, Auburn Circuit, Fourth Quarterly Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church South, W. W. Pyott, pastor; admitted, September, 1903, Iowa Conference; full connection, September 24, 1905, Central Ohio Conference; deacon, September 24, 1905—McCabe; elder, October 6, 1907—Berry.

Appointments: October 31, 1903, transferred to Central Ohio Conference; October 6, 1906, transferred to Central New York Conference; September, 1908, transferred to the Northern New York Conference and stationed at Brownville and Dexter; 1909, appointed to Brownville and Dexter. Resigned charge soon after Conference because of poor health.

Education: Randolph-Macon College, and Dickenson Seminary (B. S.).

Scott, Alexander. Licensed to exhort, 1899, Purchase, N. Y., Wilbur Titley, pastor; to preach, 1902, same place, Dr. Millard, presiding elder; New York Conference; admitted, April 21, 1906; deacon, April 22, 1906—Goodsell; full connection, April 16, 1908; elder, April 19, 1908—Moore.

Appointments: 1906-07, Westville and Constable; 1908-09, Lisbon.

Supply: 1904-05, Montville, N. J.

Education: Centenary Collegiate Institute, Drew Theological Seminary.

Scott, Ernest H. Licensed to preach about 1896, at Roseboom, Wyoming Conference; admitted, April 9, 1904; full connection, April 20, 1906; deacon, April 22, 1906—Goodsell; elder, April 19, 1908—Moore.

Appointments: 1904-05-06-07, Henderson; 1908-09 (until October), Prospect; 1909 (October), Rome, Liberty Street.

Supply: 1903, Henderson.

Education: Cooperstown High School, Wyoming Seminary, Syracuse University (A. B.).

Severance, Frank B. Licensed to exhort, at Mexico, N. Y., October, 1893, J. C. Darling, pastor; to preach, by St. Lawrence District Conference, March 6, 1894, H. W. Bennett, presiding elder; admitted, April 23, 1894; full connection, April 9, 1896; deacon, April 12, 1896—Joyce; elder, April 17, 1898—Ninde.

Appointments: 1894-95, Morristown; 1896-97-98-99, Trenton; 1900-01-02-03, Boonville; 1904-05-06-07, Frankfort; 1908-09, Lowville.

Supply: October, 1893, to April, 1894, Morristown.

Education: Mexico Academy, Briar Cliff Military Academy, Sing Sing, N. Y.; Hamilton College (A. B.).

Seymour, Myron George. Licensed to preach at Verona, N. Y., May 22, 1884, L. L. Palmer, presiding elder; admitted, April 14, 1885; full connection, April 16, 1887; deacon, April 17, 1887—Foss.

Appointments: 1885-86, Lafargeville; 1887, Chaumont; 1838-89, Hermon; 1890-91-92, Heuvelton; 1893-94-95-96-97, Sandy Creek; 1898, St. Johnsville; 1899-1900, Frankfort; 1901-02-03-04, Ilion; 1905-06, Gouverneur; 1907-08-09 (till July), Watertown District.

Supply: 1884, Russell.

Died, July 8, 1909.

Sheffield, Roy Kaiser. Licensed to exhort, September 4, 1899, at Enfield, N. Y., M. S. Leete, pastor; to preach, September 5, 1900, Syracuse District Conference; admitted, April 9, 1904; full connection, April 20, 1906; deacon, April 22, 1906—Goodsell; elder, April 19, 1908—Moore.

Appointments: 1904-05, Leonardsville; 1906-07, Utica, Grace; 1908-09, Belleville.

Supply: 1901, (October-December), Geneva, North Street Chapel; 1902, (February-April), Verona; 1902, West Camden; 1903, Clayville and Cedar Lake.

Education: Ithaca High School, Syracuse University (Ph. B.).

Shepard, Edmund L. Licensed to preach in 1886, at Kingston, Pa., (Wyoming Conference), W. R. Van Schoick, presiding elder; admitted, April 21, 1893; full connection. April 17, 1897; deacon, April 18, 1897—Warren; elder, April 21, 1899—McCabe.

Appointments: 1893, Parish; 1894-95-96, Constantia; 1897-98, Utica, Grace; 1899-1900-01-02, Lee Center; 1903-04-05, Belleville; 1906-07-08-09, Harrisville.

Supply: 1892, Parish.

Education: Wyoming Seminary, Syracuse University (A. M.).

Shepherd, George Fletcher. Licensed to exhort at Oswego, N. Y., October 5, 1892, Trinity Church; to preach, by Oswego District Conference, February, 1893, T. B. Shepherd, presiding elder; admitted, April 21, 1893; full connection, April 20, 1895; deacon, April 21, 1895—Mallalieu; elder, under missionary rule, April 12, 1896—Joyce.

Appointments: 1893-94-95, Oswego Center; transferred to Japan Conference; 1896-97, Fukuoka; returned by transfer from Japan Conference; 1898-99-1900-01, Deansboro; 1902-03-04-05, Whitesboro; 1906-07-08-09, Mexico.

Supply: 1892, Pineville and New Centerville.

Education: Cazenovia Seminary, Syracuse University (A. B.), Hamilton Theological Seminary.

Shepherd, Thomas Bemister. Licensed to preach in 1857, at St. Catharines, Ont., Canada, Wm. McCullough, pastor; admitted, June 8, 1858; full connection, April 20, 1860; deacon, April 22, 1860—Simpson; elder, April 27, 1862—Ames.

Appointments: 1858, Martinsburg; 1859-60, Sackets Harbor; 1861-62, Pulaski; 1863-64-65, Cleveland; 1866-67-68, Syracuse, First Ward; 1869,* Syracuse, Simpson; 1870-71-72, Auburn, Wall Street; transferred to Northern New York Conference, June 22, 1872; 1873-74, Ilion; 1875-76, Carthage; 1877-78-79-80, Herkimer District; 1881-82-83-84, Adams District; 1885-86-87, Rome, First; 1888-89-90-91, Oswego, Trinity; 1892-93-94-95-96-97, Oswego District; 1898-99-1900-01, Minetto; 1902 to 1906, supernumerary; 1907 to 1909, superannuated.

Delegate to the General Conference in 1884 and 1892, and to the Centennial Conference held in Baltimore in December, 1884.

Education: Mount Allison Seminary, Ontario.

Short, John Leander. Licensed to exhort, February 15, 1868, and to preach, September 17, 1870, at Cleveland, N. Y., B. S. Wright, presiding elder; deacon, May 2, 1875—Scott; admitted, April 11, 1876; full connection, April 13, 1878; elder, April 16, 1882—Andrews.

Appointments: 1876-77, Remsen; 1878-79, Earlville; 1880, supernumerary; 1881-82-83, Durhamville; 1884-85-86, Forestport; 1887-88-89-90-91, Fairfield; 1892-93-94-95-96, Brookfield; 1897-98-99-1900-01, Verona; 1902 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1870-71, Amboy; six months commencing in the fall of 1872, Clayville; 1875, Remsen; 1907, Redfield.

Education: common school, and Birmingham Academy. Pittsburg, Pennsylvania.

Short, Samuel. Licensed to Exhort, in April, 1856, at Fort Covington, N. Y., Elisha Wheeler, pastor; to preach, same place, in 1857, P. D. Gorrie, presiding elder; admitted on trial in the Niagara Conference of the Canada Methodist Episcopal Church, in 1858; deacon, April, 1860—Smith; elder, 1862—Richardson; admitted, April 21, 1873; as elder on certificate of location from the Methodist Episcopal Church of Canada.

Appointments: (Canada) 1858, London; 1859, Malahide; 1860, Ingersol; 1861, Nanticoke; (Northern New York Conference), 1873-74, Parishville; 1875, Nicholville; 1876-77, Fort Jackson; 1878-79-80, Bucksbridge; 1881-82-83, Morristown; 1844-85, Lawrence; 1886-87-88, Brasher; 1889-90-91-92-93, Norfolk; 1894-95-96-97, St. Regis Falls; 1898-99-1900-01, Rensselaer Falls; 1902-03, Hermon; 1904 to 1909, superannuated.

Sill, Matthew Dorr. Licensed to preach by the Otsego District Conference (Wyoming Conference), in March 1878, H. R. Clark, presiding elder; deacon, (New England Conference), April 16, 1882—Merrill; admitted, April 12, 1884; elder, April 18, 1886—Merrill; full connection, April 16, 1887.

Appointments: 1884, Nicholville; 1885-86, Parishville; 1887-88-89-90-91, Moira; 1892-93-94-95, Massena; 1896-97-98-99-1900, Clinton; 1901 02-03-04-05, Mexico; 1906-07-08-09, Malone.

Supply: 1879, Oneonta Plains (Wyoming Conference); 1880, Portlandville and Cooperstown Junction; November, 1881, to March, 1883, Sudbury (New England Conference); 1883, Walpole, (same Conference).

Education: select school, and Hartwick Seminary, Hartwick, N. Y.; Boston University School of Theology.

Skeel, Harlow. Licensed to exhort in 1850, at Hannibal, N. Y., J. Smedley, pastor; to preach on the Amboy and Williamstown charge, July 23, 1853, G. G. Hapgood, presiding elder; admitted, May 31, 1854; full connection, June 20, 1856; deacon, June 22, 1856—Waugh; elder, May 31, 1859—Scott.

Appointments: 1854, Williamstown; 1855-56, South Butler and Savannah Mission; 1857-58, Lysander; 1859-60, Baldwinsville; 1861-62, Rose, 1863-64-65, Hannibal; 1866-67, Cleveland; 1868-69,* Pulaski; 1870-71, Fairfield; 1872-73-74, Sauquoit; 1875-76-77, New York Mills; 1878-79-80-81, Oswego District; 1882-83-84, Frankfort; 1885-86-87, Waterville; 1888-89-90, Norwood; 1891-92-93-94-95, East Hamilton; 1896 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply. 1853 (eleven months), Williamstown.

Education: Red Creek Union Academy.

Died, July 23, 1909.

Smith, Asa Lynds. Licensed to exhort on Chateaugay circuit, August 14, 1859 S. C. Goodell, pastor; to preach, on the Malone circuit, April 14, 1860, L. D. White, presiding elder; admitted, April 25, 1860; full connection, April 24, 1862; deacon, April 27, 1862—Ames; elder, April 17, 1864—Baker.

Appointments: 1860, Chateaugay; 1861-62, Belmont; 1863-64, Fort Jackson; 1865-66, Lawrence; 1867-68, West Stockholm; 1869-70, Norfolk; 1871-72-73, South Canton and Pierrepont; 1874-75-76, Sprague Corners (Somerville); 1877-78-79, DeKalb; 1880-81, Richville; 1882-83-84, Evans Mills; 1885-86-87, Plessis; 1888-89-90, Hammond; 1891-92-93-94-95, Chasm Falls; 1896-97-98-99-1900, Belmont; 1901-02, Bucksbridge; 1903 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1903, Louisville.

Education: common schools and Franklin Academy, Malone, N. Y.

Smith, Charles Meredith. Licensed to exhort at Steuben, N. Y., July, 1881, J. W. Simpson, pastor; to preach, by Steuben Quarterly Conference, March 24, 1883, L. L. Palmer, presiding elder; deacon, March 27, 1887—Warren; admitted, April 19, 1887; full connection, April 13, 1889; elder, April 19, 1891—Hurst.

Appointments: 1887-88, Trenton; 1889-90-91-92-93, Antwerp; 1894-95-96-97-98, Black River; 1899-1900-01, East Hamilton; 1902-03-04, Mohawk; 1905-06-07-08, St. Regis Falls and Dickenson; 1909, Turin.

Supply: 1886, New Dover (Newark Conference).

Education: Holland Patent Union School, Eastman Business College, Ives Seminary, Drew Theological Seminary.

Smith, Richard Jonathan. Licensed to preach by Syracuse District Conference, December 8, 1874, William Reddy, presiding elder; admitted, April 24, 1877; full connection, April 11, 1879; deacon, April 13, 1879—Harris; elder, April 17, 1881—Foster.

Appointments: 1877-78-79, Schuyler and West Frankfort; 1880-81, Remsen; 1882-83-84, East Hamilton; 1885-86-87, Frankfort; 1888-89-90

91-92, New Hartford; 1893, Oswego, First; 1894, supernumerary; 1895-96, Earlville; 1897-98-99, Madison; 1900 to 1904, supernumerary; 1905 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1894, (six months), Earlville.

Education: Owego Academy, Syracuse University (A. B.).

Snyder, Brainard DeForest. Licensed to exhort in the summer of 1871, on the Pine Meadow charge, Orwell, N. Y., Wesleyan Methodist Church, John M. Wait, pastor; to preach, same charge and pastor, April 1, 1874; admitted to Syracuse Conference of same church, April 5, 1874, and ordained elder the same day by A. S. Wightman, president; orders recognized in the Northern New York Conference, April 16, 1881; admitted April 19, 1881; full connection, April 13, 1883.

Appointments: (Wesleyan Church) 1874, Herricksville and Rome, Pa.; 1875-76, Taylor, N. Y.; 1877, supernumerary; 1878-79, Prattsville and Texas; (Northern New York Conference) 1881-82-83, Orwell, 1884-85, Gilbert's Mills; 1886-87-88, Brookfield and Leonardsville; 1889-90, Port Leyden; 1891-92, Remsen; 1893-94-95, Philadelphia; 1896-97-98, Heuvelton; 1899-1900-01, Alexandria Bay; 1902-03, Norwood; 1904-05, Pulaski; 1906-07-08, Minetto; 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1880, Mallory.

Education: common school, and Whitestown Seminary.

Stallwood, Jabez. Licensed to exhort, March, 1881, by High Wycombe circuit, England, and to preach in 1882; admitted (Northern New York Conference), April 14, 1890; full connection, April 15, 1892; deacon, April 17, 1892—Bowman; elder, April 22, 1894—Goodsell.

Appointments: 1890-91-92, Oswego Center; 1893-94-95-96-97, Hannibal; 1898-99-1900-01-02, Belleville; 1903-04, New Hartford; 1905, Dolgeville; 1906-07-08-09, Potsdam.

Supply: 1889, Oswego Center.

Education: common schools in England; Theological, East Keswick.

Stanford, Francis Benjamin. Licensed to exhort in May, 1876, Taberg, N. Y., M. G. Wadsworth, pastor; to preach, same place, February 16, 1878, W. R. Cobb, presiding elder; admitted, April 17, 1880; full connection, April 14, 1882; deacon, April 16, 1882—Andrews; elder, April 13, 1884—Harris.

Appointments: 1880-81, Montague; 1882-83-84, West Martinsburg; 1885, Brownville; 1886, supernumerary; 1887-88-89-90, Vernon Center; 1891-92-93-94-95, Westmoreland; 1896, Madrid; 1897-98, Moira; 1899, supernumerary; 1900-01, Knoxboro; 1902-03-04-05-06-07-08-09, Verona.

Supply: 1879, Montague; 1886 (six months, from October), Copenhagen; 1899, six months beginning in October, Westmoreland.

Education: Camden Union School, Cazenovia Seminary.

Stokes, Samuel H. Licensed to exhort in 1900, at Houghton, N. Y., Samuel Bedford, pastor; to preach, in 1900 at same place, by Rochester District Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Connection in America; admitted on trial in the Champlain Wesleyan Methodist Conference, April 26, 1902; ordained elder in 1903; received on credentials in the Northern New York Conference, April 8, 1904.

Appointments: 1902-03, in Champlain Wesleyan Methodist Conference; 1904-05-06, Louisville; 1907-08, Stockholm; 1909, Hermon.

Supply: 1901, in Champlain Wesleyan Conference.

Education: Ottawa High School, Ottawa Normal School, Houghton Seminary.

Story, Theron Andrew. Licensed to preach by Watertown District Conference, June 6, 1882, William Watson, presiding elder; admitted, (Colorado Conference), July 20, 1885; deacon, July 18, 1886—Bowman; full connection, July 15, 1887; elder, April 13, 1890—Newman.

Appointments: 1885-86-87-88, in Colorado Conference; 1889-90, supernumerary; transferred to Northern New York Conference; 1891-92-93, Lafargeville; 1894-95-96, Hermon; 1897, Steuben; 1898-99-1900-01, Whitesboro; 1902-03-04, Heuvelton; 1905-06, Burke; 1907-08-09, Brasher Falls.

Supply: 1884, Jamestown (Colorado Conference); 1889, (six months) Chateaugay; 1890, Lafargeville.

Education: Ives Seminary, Syracuse University.

Sullivan, William Alfred. Licensed to preach at Grace Church, Cambridge, Mass., March 7, 1890, J. W. Lindsey, presiding elder; deacon, April 15, 1894—Fitzgerald; admitted, April 11, 1896; full connection, April 16, 1898; elder, April 22, 1900—Walden.

Appointments: 1896-97-98-99-1900, professor in Folts Mission Institute, Herkimer; 1901, Tupper Lake; 1902, Alexandria Bay; 1903-04-05, Turin; 1906, Mannsville; 1907-08-09, Vernon Center.

Supply: 1893, Upton, Mass.; 1894, (two months) Norwood, Mass.

Education: Cambridge, Mass., High School; Boston University (A. B., S. T. B.); University of Halle.

Summers, William Henry. Licensed to preach, July 15, 1875, at Winchester, Ontario, T. G. Williams, superintendent; deacon, April 6, 1884—Foster; admitted, (Wisconsin Conference), 1886; full connection, 1888; elder, 1888—Foss.

Appointments: (Wisconsin Conference), 1886-87, Delavan; 1888, Edgerton; 1889-90, Elkhorn; 1891-92-93, Milton; 1894, Beloit, First (associate pastor); transferred to Northern New York Conference; 1895-96-97-98-99, Hailesboro and Natural Dam; 1900-01-02-03, Madrid; 1904, Moira; 1905-06, New Haven; 1907, superannuated; 1908-09, Mount Pleasant.

Supply: 1880-81, in Montreal Conference; 1882 to fall of 1883, in Northern New York Conference; 1884 to fall of 1886, in New England Southern Conference.

Education: Boston University, Milton College (A. B.).

Swartz, Benton Shelly. Licensed to exhort, February, 1901, at Allentown, Pa., Theodore Stevens, pastor; to preach, June 1, 1901, at same place, J. R. T. Gray, presiding elder; deacon, October 1, 1905—Spellmeyer; admitted, April 19, 1907; full connection, April 17, 1909.

Appointments: 1907-08-09, Deansboro.

Supply: 1903, Belfast, Wind Gap charge (Philadelphia Conference); 1904, (three months), Altoona, Pa., (Central Pennsylvania Conference); 1905 to September, 1906, Syracuse, Woodlawn; 1906, (December) to 1907, (April), Deansboro.

Education: Dickinson Seminary, Syracuse University (Ph. B).

Thomas, James Maddern. Admitted, (Minnesota Conference), 1886; full connection, October, 1888; deacon, October 7, 1888—Hurst; elder, October 5, 1890—FitzGerald.

Appointments: (Minnesota Conference) 1886, St. Hilaire; 1887-88, Hawley; 1889, Granite Falls; 1890, Wood Lake, for six months; transferred to Northern New York Conference; 1891-92, Brasher Falls; 1893-94-95, Fort Covington; 1896-97, Waddington; 1898-99-1900, Colton; 1901, Cape Vincent; 1902, McConnellsville; 1903-04-05-06, Delta and Westernville; 1907, Brookfield and North Brookfield; 1908-09, Middleville and Fairfield.

Education: In England.

Thomas, William. Licensed to exhort, November 2, 1876, at St. Just, Cornwall, England, Thomas J. Kent, pastor; to preach in 1877 same place, by St. Just Quarterly Conference; deacon, April 17, 1887—Foss; admitted April 19, 1887; full connection, April 13, 1889; elder, April 19, 1891—Hurst.

Appointments: 1887, Burke; 1888-89-90-91-92, Belmont; 1893, Plessis;

1894-95, Depeyster; 1896, Oswegatchie; 1897-98-99, Bangor, 1900-01-02-03-04, St. Regis Falls; 1905-06-07-08, Moira; 1909, Remsen.

Supply: ten months in Burke in 1886.

Tisdale, William Laur. Licensed to exhort, in 1851, in the Pearl Street Church, Buffalo, N. Y., E. Thomas, pastor; to preach, in 1852, at Baldwinsville, N. Y., George Sawyer, presiding elder; deacon, June 22, 1856—Waugh; admitted, June 25, 1856; full connection, June 4, 1858; elder, April 22, 1860—Simpson.

Appointments: 1856, Phoenix; 1857-58, Jordan; 1859, Carthage; 1860-61, Adams; 1862-63, Little Falls; 1864-65, in the army; 1866-67-68, Frankfort; 1869*-70-71, Sauquoit; 1872, Marcellus; 1873-74-75, Pulaski; 1876-77-78-79, St. Lawrence District; 1880-81-82, New York Mills; 1883-84-85, Camden; 1886-87-88-89-90, Madison; 1891, West Winfield; 1892, Verona; 1893-94-95-96-97, Rensselaer Falls; 1898, South Richland; 1899-1900-01-02, Evans Mills; 1903-04-05-06, West Martinsburg; 1907 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1855-56 (nine months, Troy Conference), Johnstown; agent of the Christian Commission for two years with headquarters at Fortress Monroe.

Education: Falley Seminary, Biblical Institute at Concord, N. H.

Titus, Wicks Smith. Licensed to preach in the Baptist Church at Meridan, N. Y., 1840; joined the Methodist Episcopal Church in Candor, N. Y., in March, 1845; admitted (Oneida Conference), August 5, 1845, discontinuing in one year; readmitted (Troy Conference), in April, 1850; transferred to New Jersey Conference, 1850; full connection, April, 1852; deacon, April 11, 1852—Janes; 1853, transferred to Black River Conference; elder, June 4, 1854—Morris.

Appointments: (Oneida Conference), 1845, Newark and Berkshire; (New Jersey Conference), 1850, Bergen; 1851, New Brunswick, preaching done chiefly at Millertown; 1852, teacher in Pennington Seminary; (Northern New York Conference), 1853, professor in Falley Seminary, Fulton; 1854-55, Ogdensburg; 1856, Canton; 1857-58, Watertown, State Street; 1859-60 Camden; 1861-62, Weedsport; 1863, Mexico; 1864, Geddes; 1865-66, Lowville; 1867-68, Wolcott; 1869*-70, Hamilton; 1871, Vernon; 1872-73, Winfield; 1874-75-76, Ames and Sprout Brook, charge divided in 1876, he serving Sprout Brook; 1877-78, Cleveland; 1879, Central Square; 1880-81, superannuated; 1882-83-84, Deansville; 1885-86-87, Verona; 1888-89, Remsen; 1890 to 1909, superannuated.

Education: Union College (A. M.), Union Theological Seminary.

Life member of American Bible Society for over fifty years.

Died, January 22, 1910.

Topping, Edward Burdett. Licensed to exhort at Homer, N. Y., in 1884, M. S. Leete, pastor; to preach, at same place, August, 1887, U. S. Beebe, presiding elder; admitted, April 21, 1893; full connection, April 9, 1896; deacon, April 12, 1896—Joyce; elder, April 17, 1898—Ninde.

Appointments: 1893, Constantia; 1894-95-96, Utica, Grace; 1897-98-99-1900, Gouverneur; 1901-02-03, Oswego, Trinity; 1904-05-06-07-08-09, Rome, First.

Delegate to General Conference, 1908.

Supply: July, 1889 to October, 1890, Freetown; 1892(two months), Bethany Chapel, Syracuse (both in Central New York Conference); May, 1892 to April 1893, Constantia.

Education: Cazenovia Seminary, Syracuse University (A. B.).

Townsend, Charles Conkey. Licensed to preach, August 31, 1875, at Rochester, N. Y., K. D. Nettleton, presiding elder; admitted, April 15, 1878, readmitted, April 17, 1883; deacon, April 13, 1884—Harris; full Connection, April 11, 1885; elder, April 17, 1887—Foss.

Appointments: 1878, professor in Normal School, Potsdam, 1883-84, Bucksbridge; 1885-86-87, Watertown, State Street; 1888-89-90-91-92,

Lowville; 1893-94-95-96-97, Malone; 1898-99-1900-01-02, Fulton, First; 1903-04-05, Camden; 1906-07-08-09, St. Lawrence District. Delegate to General Conference, 1900, 1904, 1908. Conference Secretary, 1893 to 1906.

Education: Potsdam Normal School, University of Rochester (A. M).

VanValkenburg, Isaac Billings. Licensed to exhort at Gilford, N. Y., December 31, 1857, L. G. Weaver, pastor; to preach, at Morrisville, N. Y., in January, 1859, William Bixby, presiding elder; admitted (Oneida Conference), April 27, 1859; deacon, April 10, 1864—Scott; readmitted, April 11, 1864; full connection, April 19, 1866; elder, April 12, 1868—Clark.

Appointments: 1859, Onondaga circuit, but did not serve, discontinued; 1864-65, Union Valley; 1866-67, Summer Hill; 1868-69*-70, Cuyler; 1871-72-73†, Ames; 1874-75-76, Freys Bush; 1877-78, St. Johnsville; 1879-80-81, Norway and Gray; 1882-83-84, Salisbury; 1885-86-87, Remsen; 1888-89-90-91, Starkville; 1892-93, Forestport; 1894, supernumerary; 1895, Salisbury; 1896-97-98, Lassellsville; 1899 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1863, Georgetown Circuit.

Education: Clinton Academy and Liberal Institute.

Walton, Charles Henry. Licensed to exhort, January 24, 1876, at Vermillion, N. Y., F. A. O'Farrel, pastor; to preach, at Henderson, N. Y., March 25, 1882, T. B. Shepherd, presiding elder; admitted, April 18, 1882; full connection, April 11, 1884; deacon, April 13, 1884—Harris; elder, April 18, 1886—Merrill.

Appointments: 1882-83, Henderson; 1884-85-86, Mannsville; 1887-88-89, Scriba and Lansing; 1890-91, New Haven; 1892-93-94-95-96, Moira; 1897-98-99, Madrid; 1900-01, Parishville; 1902-03-04-05-06-07, Theresa; 1908-09, Utica, Dryer Memorial.

Supply: Barnes Corners, ten months; Henderson, one year.

Education: Mexico Academy.

Warren, Adelbert. Licensed to preach by the Quarterly Board of Dominion Methodist Church, Ottawa, Canada, August, 1888; deacon, April 22, 1894—Goodsell; admitted, April 23, 1894; full connection, April 17, 1897.

Appointments: 1894-95-96-97-98, Fine; 1899-1900-01, McConnellsville and Vienna; 1902-03, Lorraine; 1904-05-06, Forestport; 1907-08-09, Martinsburg.

Supply: 1888 to 1891, in Montreal Conference; 1892, Sprague ville.

Education: high school, Athens, Ontario; Collegiate Institute, Ottawa.

Waugh, Hiel Eugene. Licensed to exhort, March 25, 1867, at Scriba, N. Y., H. M. Danforth, pastor; to preach, February 19, 1870, same place, A. E. Corse, presiding elder; admitted, May 1, 1871; full connection, April 19, 1873; deacon, April 20, 1873—Peck; elder, May 2, 1875—Scott.

Appointments: 1871, Peninsula; 1872, Natural Bridge; 1873, Mannsville; 1874-75, Martinsburg; 1876, Constable; 1877-78-79, New Haven; 1880-81-82, Delta and Westernville; 1883-84-85, Clinton; 1886-87, Boonville; 1888-89-90-91, Utica, South Street; 1892-93-94-95-96-97, Utica District; 1898-99, Malone; 1900, Waterville; 1901, Waterville, (Assistant); 1902-03, Y. M. C. A. work, Utica; 1904-05, supernumerary; 1906 to 1909, superannuated. Delegate to General Conference, 1896.

Supply: 1904 (four months), Little Falls; 1905 (four months), Prospect and Hinkley; 1906-07-08-09, Floyd and Stittville.

Education: Oswego city schools and Falley Seminary.

Compiled and published "Religious Corporations Laws" (1895), with annotations and citations, and revised the same for several years.

Webster, Anson Delano. Licensed to exhort, in 1857, at Fabius, N. Y., E. C. Brown, pastor; to preach, in 1867, same place, William Curtis, pastor; admitted (Central New York Conference), April 21, 1869; full

connection, April 5, 1872; deacon, April 7, 1872—Simpson; elder, October 11, 1874—Peck.

Appointments: 1869, Clockville; 1870-71, Deruyter and Sheds Corners; 1872, Pratts Hollow; 1873, Manlius Station; 1874-75-76, McGrawville; 1877, Lafayette, 1878-79-80, Morrisville and Eaton; transferred to Northern New York Conference, April 19, 1881; 1881-82-83, Belleville; 1884-85-86, Chateaugay; 1887-88-89, Potsdam; 1890-91-92, Clayton; 1893-94-95-96, Pulaski; 1897-98-99-1900-01, Adams District; 1902, Cherry Valley; 1903-04-, Oriskany Falls; 1905 to 1909, superannuated. Delegate to General Conference, 1900.

Supply: 1868, Clockville.

Served as a private in Company I, 61st Regiment, N. Y. V., from October 8, 1861, to November 14, 1862; also in Company L, 9th Regiment, N. Y. Heavy Artillery, from December 28, 1863, to November, 1865; wounded at the battle of Malvern Hill, July 1, 1862.

Weed, Truman. Licensed to exhort in 1860, on the Simsbury and Tarriffville charge (New York East Conference), Ichabod Simmons, pastor; to preach, 1872, by the Newark District Conference (Newark Conference), A. L. Brice, presiding elder; admitted (South Kansas Conference), March, 1877; deacon, April 1, 1877—Peck; full connection (South Kansas Conference), March, 1879; 1885, located at his own request; readmitted on certificate of location (Northern New York Conference), April 20, 1886; elder, April 17, 1887—Foss.

Appointments: (South Kansas Conference), 1877, Larned; 1878, Girard; 1879, Neodesha; 1880-81-82-83-84, supernumerary; 1885, located; (Northern New York Conference), 1886-87, Starkville; 1888, Gilbert's Mills; 1889, Orwell; 1890 to 1898, supernumerary; 1899-1900-01-02, Three Mile Bay; 1903-04, East Springfield; 1905 to 1909, supernumerary.

Supply: 1884-85, Lowell; 1898, Three Mile Bay; 1905-06-07, West Barrington, Rhode Island.

Education: Wesleyan Academy, Wilbraham, Mass.; Union College (A. M.); Drew Theological Seminary (B. D.).

Served as a private in Company D ("Die no more" Company), 48th Regiment, N. Y. V., from August 18, 1861, to September 21, 1864.

Whipple, Robert Farquhar. Licensed to exhort, in 1870, at Fort Jackson, N. Y., S. C. Goodell, pastor; to preach, same year and place, L. L. Palmer, presiding elder; deacon, May 2, 1875—Scott; admitted, April 11, 1876; full connection, April 13, 1878; elder April 18, 1880—Peck.

Appointments: 1876, Lisbon; 1877-78, Macomb; 1879, Edwards and Fine; 1880-81-82, Natural Bridge; 1883-84, Plessis; 1885, supernumerary; 1886-87, Depauville; 1888, Richville; 1889--90, South Richland; 1891-92-93, Central Square; 1894-95-96-97-98, Vienna; 1899, Lawrence; 1900, Bucksbridge, 1901-02, Chasm Falls; 1903-04-05-06, Waddington; 1907 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1871, South Malone; 1873 (six months), Constable; 1874-75, South Malone.

Education: in Chateaugay.

Wilds, John Spruance. Licensed to exhort at Kenton, Del., September, 1888, William Sharpe, pastor; to preach, by Kenton Quarterly Conference, August, 1890, John France, presiding elder; admitted, April 23, 1894; full connection, April 9, 1896; deacon, April 12, 1896—Joyce; elder, April 17, 1898—Ninde.

Appointments: 1894-95, Edwards; 1896-97-98-99, DePeyster; 1900-01-02, Lafargeville; 1903-04-05-06, Adams; 1907-08-09, Gouverneur.

Supply: 1893, New Vernon, N. J.

Education: Delaware College, Drew Theological Seminary.

Wilkinson, George Alde. Admitted, April 19, 1902; deacon, April 20, 1902—Andrews; full connection, April 8, 1904; elder, April 22, 1906—Goodsell.

Appointments: 1902-03, Richville; 1904-05, Rodman; 1906-07, Natural Bridge; 1908-09, DeKalb.

Supply: 1901, Richville.

Education: Wesleyan Theological College, Montreal.

Williams, George H. Licensed to exhort, January 25, 1893, at Moira, N. Y., C. H. Walton, pastor, to preach, by St. Lawrence District Conference, March 14, 1893, H. W. Bennett, presiding elder; admitted, April 24, 1894; full connection, April 17, 1897; deacon, April 18, 1897—Warren; elder, April 22, 1900—Walden.

Appointments: 1894-95, Gallilee; 1896-97-98-99-1900-01, Fort Covington; 1902-03, Brasher; 1904-05-06-07-08-09, Norwood.

Supply: 1893, Galilee (then called Oswegatchie).

Education: Mexico Academy.

Williams, William. Licensed to preach, in August, 1867, Siloam Church, Bethesda, North Wales, Hugh Jones, pastor; admitted, April 22, 1873; deacon, May 3, 1874—Foster; full connection, May 1, 1875; elder, April 22, 1877—Bowman.

Appointments: 1873, South Trenton; 1874, Norway; 1875-76-77, North Western; 1878-79, Floyd; 1880-81-82, Lee Center; 1883-84-85, Sauquoit; 1886-87-88, East Hamilton; 1889-90, West Winfield; 1891-92-93-94-95, Waterville; 1896, Dolgeville; 1897-98-99, Vernon; 1900-01-02, Clayton; 1903-04-05-06, Hamilton; 1907-08, Cherry Valley; 1909, Cape Vincent.

Education: Cazenovia Seminary; Gale College, Wisconsin (A. M., Ph. D.).

Wilmshurst, Walter George. Licensed to exhort, 1883, at Eastbourne, England, John Perrett, chairman, to preach, March 19, 1885, by Wesleyan Methodist Church, Eastbourne circuit Quarterly Conference, David Thomas, chairman; admitted, (Northern New York Conference), April 14, 1890; full connection; April 15, 1892; deacon, April 17, 1892—Bowman; elder, April 24, 1894—Goodsell.

Appointments: 1890, Redfield; 1891-92-93-94-95, Whitesboro; 1896-97-98-99-1900-01-02-03-04-05, Utica, Centenary; 1906-07-08-09, Dolgeville.

Supply: 1888 (six months), Walham Green Church, London, England; 1889, Redfield.

Education: private school; English National Wesleyan Methodist day school; private masters; East Keswick College, near Leeds, England.

Wood, Benjamin Franklin. Licensed to exhort, October 28, 1851, on the Newport circuit, Benjamin Phillips, pastor; to preach, in 1852, same charge, I. L. Hunt, presiding elder; admitted, June 3, 1854; readmitted, June 25, 1856; readmitted, May 26, 1859; full connection, April 26, 1861; deacon, April 28, 1861—Baker; readmitted on certificate of location, April 22, 1863; elder, April 23, 1865—Kingsley.

Appointments: 1854, Belmont, but did not serve full year on account of poor health; 1856, Brasher; 1859, Brockett's and Stratford; 1860-61, Ohio and Gray; 1862, located to enter army, there being no provision for an appointment to it at this time; 1863-64, St. Johnsville; 1865-66-67, Middleville; 1868-69-70, Port Leyden; 1871-72, Constableville; 1873-74-75, Black River; 1876, Theresa; 1877-78-79-80, Watertown District; 1881-82-83, Port Leyden; 1884, Copenhagen; 1885-86-87-88-89-90, Adams District; 1891-92-93, Turin; 1894-95-96-97-98, Martinsburg; 1899, Chaumont; 1900 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1853, Steuben Circuit, as junior preacher; June, 1855, to June, 1856, Brockett's Bridge, under W. I. Hunt, preacher in charge; November, 1862, to April, 1863, St. Johnsville.

Served as second lieutenant in Company C, 81st Regiment, N. Y. V., from the fall of 1861 to the summer of 1862.

Wood, George Washington. Licensed to exhort, October 5, 1872, Parish charge, J. B. McCullough, pastor; to preach, April 10, 1875, B. F.

Barker, presiding elder; deacon, April 16, 1882—Andrews; admitted, April 18, 1882; full connection, April 11, 1884; elder, April 18, 1886—Merrill.

Appointments: 1882-83-84, Cleveland; 1885-86-87, New Haven; 1888, Clayville; 1889-90-91, Mohawk; 1892-93-94-95-96, St. Johnsville; 1897-98, Sauquoit; 1899-1900, Jordanville; 1901-02, Conference Evangelist; 1903, Central Square; 1904 to 1909, superannuated.

Supply: 1876, (six months), Mallory; leader of the Oswego Praying Association from 1873, until 1880; 1881, Gilbert's Mills.

Woodley, Charles Emery. Licensed to exhort in 1902, at Ogdensburg, A. C. Loucks, pastor; to preach, 1903, at Ogdensburg, by St. Lawrence District Conference; admitted, April 18, 1905; full connection, April 20, 1907; deacon, April 21, 1907—Wilson; elder, April 18, 1909—McDowell.

Appointments: 1905-06-07-08-09, Norfolk.

Supply: 1904, Norfolk.

Education: Ogdensburg Academy, Syracuse University (Ph. B.).

Zimmerman, Albert H. Licensed to exhort, in 1883, at Trenton, N. J., D. H. Shock, pastor; to preach, in 1884, at Green Street Methodist Episcopal Church, E. E. Hewitt, presiding elder; admitted into the Baltimore Conference, in 1891; full connection, 1893; deacon—Foster; elder—Foss.

Appointments: (Baltimore Conference), 1891, Laytonsville, Md.; 1892, Hagerstown, Md.; 1893, Industrial Home for Boys; 1894-95, Eckhart, Md.; 1896-97-98-99, Frederick, Md.; 1900-01-02-03-04, Cumberland, Md.; 1905-06-07, Conference Evangelist; transferred to Northern New York Conference; 1908-09, Utica, First.

Supply: 1884, Rockhill, N. J., (New Jersey Conference).

Education: Dickenson College (A. M.).

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